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Subscribers, and others, who may wish to send money to the Editor, can do so at all times, by Mail and at his risk. Receipts for all sums will be promptly transmitted.

Letters to the Editor must come free of postage.

HARDING HAS COME!

YES! WITH THE BEST AND LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS, IN HIS LINE, IN THE CITY!

WE can now exhibit to our friends and customers the choicest assortment of

GENTS FURNISHING GOODS.

Fine Dress and Frock Coats—Fine Fancy and plain Cassimere Pants—Fine Fancy Silk and Satin and bl'k Silk and Satin Vests, that can be found in any store in the State.

We pride ourselves upon selling the best

READY-MADE CLOTHING

this side of the British Provinces, equal in every respect to Custom Work, and much cheaper than Garments can be made to measure. We shall be receiving daily all the new styles of GOODS that come into market—for we manufacture all we sell— and are able to exhibit something NEW every week.

Call at the World-Wide renowned Clothing Establishment of E. L. HARDING.

March 22, 1853. 36—

Books Just Received.

A NEW Dictionary of the English Language, by Charles Richardson, 2 vols, 4 to

Woman's Record, or Sketches of all distinguished women, from the beginning, till A D., 1850. Arranged in four eras, with selections from female writers of every age, by Sarah Josepha Hale, editor of Godey's Lady's Book, &c., illustrated by two hundred and thirty portraits, engraved on wood by Lossing & Barrett.

Select British Eloquence, embracing the best speeches entire of the most eminent orators of Great Britain for the last two centuries, with sketches of their lives, an estimate of their genius, and notes, critical and explanatory, by Chauncey A. Goodrich, D. D., Professor in Yale College.

The Hundred Boston Orators appointed by the municipal authorities and other public bodies from 1770 to 1852, comprising historical gleanings, illustrating the principles and progress of our republican institutions by James Spear Loring.

Industrial Drawing, comprising the description and uses of drawing instruments, the construction of plane figures, the projections and sections of geometrical solids, architecural elements, mechanism, and topographical drawing, with remarks on the method of teaching the subject, for the use of Academies and Common Schools, by D. H. Mahan, L.L. D.

The Lady's oracle, an elegant pastime for social parties and the family circle, by Henrietta Dmount.

For sale by W. L. POMEROY.

May 2, 1853. 48—

GREAT EXCITEMENT.

IF YOU WANT TO SAVE A COUPLE HUNDRED DOLLARS, send on your orders for *Turpentine Stills, Caps, Arms, and Worms:*

Also, Brandy Stills, and any kind of Copper work, Brass, Machinery, &c.

The prices of Still-caps, Arms, and Worms, are as follows: By the pound 37 cents; or by contract,

7 barrel	Still-cap,	Arms and	Worms,	$400
10	do	do	do	485
12	do	do	do	525
14	do	do	do	585
15	do	do	do	615
16	do	do	do	650
20	do	do	do	695
25	do	do	do	750
30	do	do	do	850
35	do	do	do	900

All work will be warranted for 12 months, fire and burning excepted. His work will also be delivered within fifty miles of Raleigh, at the shortest notice; and if I fail to deliver Stills in the time agreed upon, I will forfeit $5 for each day lost, to the purchaser.

JOSEPH WOLTERING.

Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1851. 90—y.

New Books.

NOTES and Emendations to the text of Shakespeare's plays from early manuscript corrections, in a copy of the folio, 1632, in the possession of J. Payne Collier, Esq., F. S. A.

The History of the Crusades, by Joseph Francois Michaud; translated from the French by W. Robson. 3 vols., 12 mo.

Hang Mair, a Story of Scottish life, by the author of Mrs. Margaret Maitland, Merkland, &c.

New edition of Smith on the law of contracts, with notes and appendix, by J. G. Symon, Esq. Third American edition, with additional notes and references to both English and American decisions, by William Henry Rawle, author of a Treatise on Covenants for Title.

For sale by W. L. POMEROY.

May 2nd, 1853. 48—

Just Received and for Sale,

A RICH assortment of Fancy Neck, Sash, Hat and Cap Ribbons,

Plain Satin and Lustring Ribbons, all colors and widths,

French worked Muslin undersleeves,

Infant's French worked Frock Bodies and Caps,

Ladies' French worked Caps and Collars in great variety,

do do Mourning and half Mourning Collars,

do do Cuffs, Muslins and Dimity Bands.

Real Thread Lace, Insertings and Edgings,

Imitation do do do

Lisle do do do

Bobbin do do do

JAMES McKIMMON.

Oct. 1, 1852. 93—

HARRIS'S BAKERY.

NORFOLK, VA.

THIS old and widely known establishment continues to furnish, of superior quality, and on the most reasonable terms:

BUTTER CRACKERS, WATER CRACKERS, SUGAR CRACKERS, SODA CRACKERS, ANTI-DYSPEPSIA CRACKERS, AND WINE BISCUIT,

Also, MOLASSES CAKES, suitable for country stores, neatly put up in barrels and smaller packages.

CHARLES HARRIS.

Norfolk, April 25, 1853. 46—9m.pd.

NIEMEYER & WHITE,

PORTSMOUTH, VA.

OFFER FOR SALE: 1,000 Sacks Liverpool Salt,
800 Casks Eastern and W. C. Lime,
150 bbls. S. F. Flour,
12 Hhds. Sides and Shoulders,
10,000 lbs. Virginia Cured Family Bacon,
50 packages Refined Sugar.

Orders for Merchandize filled with despatch.

NIEMEYER & WHITE,

Portsmouth, Va. April 14, 1853. 43—3m.

IRA BECKWITH,

WOULD tender his sincere thanks to his numerous friends and customers, in Raleigh and its vicinity, for the liberal support he has received, and hopes by renewed efforts to merit a continuance of their favor.—He has just returned from the North, where having in view the wants of his customers at home, he endeavored to select such articles as would give entire satisfaction, both as to price and quality. His stock consists in Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Hardware, Cutlery, and Fancy articles, comprising in part the following:

Groceries.

Bacon, Lard, Meal, Flour, Candles, Sole and Upper Leather, Soap, Salt, fine Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars, Sugar, Coffee, Teas, Pepper, Alspice, Ginger, Soda, Indigo, Madder, Copperas, Ink, Blacking, Powder and Shot, Lead, &c., &c.

Hardware and Cutlery.

Axes, Weeding Hoes, Nails, Files, Butts, Screws, Padlocks, platt Locks, Coffee Mills, Tacks, Percussion Caps, Scissors, Iron and Britiana Spoons, Pocket Knives, Knives and Forks, Thimbles, Pins, Needles, Hooks and Eyes, Candle Sticks, Vest Buckles, &c.

Glass and Crockery of all kinds.

Dry Goods and Fancy Articles.

Blankets, bleached and unbleached Shirtings, Va. Osnaburgs, Bed Ticking, brown Jeans, Kerseys, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Kentucky Jeans, Tweeds, Fancy Vestings, Cambrics, Linens, Cravats, Pocket H'k'fs, Comforts, Flanels, Merrimack prints, Fancy prints, Letter paper, Envellopes, Steel Pens, Pen Holders, Agate Buttons, Coat Buttons, fancy Vest Buttons, Coats' Spool Cotton, Sewing Silk, Flaxthread, Cable Cord, Corset Laces, Hairpins, Snuff Boxes, Coarse and fine Tooth Combs, Pocket Combs, Ladies riding Side and Tuck Combs, Paste Board, Gentlemen's Chamois lined Gloves, Wool Gloves, one gross stout cotton Half Hose, also Ladies fine and coarse cotton Hose, Looking Glasses, Blacking Brushes, Cotton Cards, Shaving Boxes, Fancy Soaps, Perfumeries, &c., &c.

Also, a fine assortment of Ladies and Gentlemen's Summer Shoes, cheap for cash. Just to hand.

Together with a great variety of other articles entirely too tedious to enumerate, all of which will be disposed of on the most liberal terms for cash

Fayetteville street, a few doors north of the Yarbrough House, and opposite Lawrence's Hotel.

Raleigh, March 27, 1853. 39—1y.

SPRING STOCK OF MEDICINES FOR 1853.

P. F. PESCUD is now receiving his Spring supply of Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dye stuffs, Perfumery and Fancy Articles, which is in all respects, reliable, and in sufficient quantities to merit a large increase of Wholesale as well as Retail Trade.

With seventeen years experience in his business and greatly increased facilities for purchasing, receiving, and forwarding goods, he hopes to retain the patronage and influence of his customers.

His great aim is to procure the purest and most reliable articles, and will not knowingly sell any other kind, and to this cause he attributes the large increase of his sales and the success which has followeu his efforts to gain the confidence of the public.

Physicians and families who have Prescriptions to fill may rest assured that they will be promptly and faithfully executed by experienced persons at all hours of the day or night.

He hopes all who owe him on accounts or notes due prior to the first of January last, will call and settle, without delay, or remit their indebtedness.

March 14, 1853. 36—

AMERICAN HARDWARE, &C.

E. P. TABB & CO.

HEAD OF THE SQUARE,

NORFOLK, Va.

ARE receiving large additions to their stock, by almost every arrival from the East, which having been purchased at the cash discount prices, they are enabled, and determined to sell as low as articles of a similar quality can be bought in the Northern cities Their assortment comprises

Cotton, Wool, Horse and Negro Cards,
Long and short handle Manure Forks,
" " Shovels and Spades,
Box and screw up Coffee Mills,
Wire and Hair Sieves and Searches,
Cotton Leading Lines, Bed Cords,
White Hemp Rope, assorted sizes,
Shoe Brushes, Blacking, Hide Whips,
Broad and Narrow Axes, Adzes,
Fancy Steel Blade Garden Hoes,
A full assortment of Hollow Ware Castings, embracing Ovens, Pots, Spiders, Skillets, Fire Dogs, Griddles, &c.
Also a general assortment of Fancy Goods, such as
Needles, Pins, Combs of every kind,
Tooth, Hair and Shaving Brushes,
Fancy Soap, Snuff and Shaving Boxes,
Bone, Fancy Gilt, Porcelain and Pearl Buttons,
Pocket Books, Porte Monnaies, Purses,
Silver, Brass, Steel and White Metal Thimbles,
Looking Glasses, &c.

April 26, 1853. 46—w3w.

VALUABLE WARREN LANDS FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber having determined to move South, offers for sale his valuable lands lying in the Counties of Warren and Halifax, situate 14 miles from Warrenton and 8 miles from Littleton, on the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road, containing 4,400 acres. These lands are equal to any in the County of Warren for the production of corn, wheat, and tobacco. About 700 acres of the tract is bottom land of a fine quality, one half of which is cleared and thoroughly canalled and drained, the other half is in original forest and heavily timbered. There is a sufficient quantity of cleared land on the tract, mostly fresh, to work fifty hands to advantage. The tract can be conveniently divided into three farms. It is unnecessary to give an extended description of these lands, as persons wishing to purchase will examine and judge for themselves. The subscriber being anxious to sell, will submit to a sacrifice to effect a sale; therefore persons wishing to invest capital in real estate would do well to examine these lands.

In my absence Mr. Evans will take pleasure in showing the land and making known the terms, which will be accommodating. S. A. WILLIAMS.

Warren County, N. C., May 9, 1853. 50—8tw.

NIEMEYER & WHITE,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND General Produce Brokers,

PORTSMOUTH, VA.,

OFFER their services to the Shipping, Planting, Trading and Manufacturing Interests.

We will give strict attention to Shipping or Selling Tobacco, Cotton, Flour, Grain, Provisions, Lumber and Naval Stores; and Forwarding Merchandise with Despatch.

Lime, Plaster, Guano, Cement and Salt, always on hand.

HENRY V. NIEMEYER. JAMES C. WHITE.

April 7th, 1853. 41 3m.

WHOLESALE TRADE,

For March, 1852.

OUR SPRING STOCK of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

is now complete. The assortment is large and commanding.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

are invited to call and examine styles and prices, feeling confident that we can offer as great inducements as any Jobbing House North or South.

STEVENSON & WEDDELL.

Sycamore Street Petersburg, Va.

34—

New and Fashionable Jewelry

WE are receiving our new supply of Watches, Chains, Seals, Keys, Ear Rings, Breastpins, Finger Rings, &c. PALMER & RAMSEY.

Raleigh, May 24, 1853. 53—

SPECIAL EXPRESS NOTICE.

PARISEN & KING'S

NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, AND N. CAROLINA FREIGHT, PACKAGE, AND PARCEL

EXPRESS.

Per Steamships Roanoke and Jamestown.

THE Proprietors beg leave to inform the Merchants, Bankers, and public generality of Raleigh, that having bought out the interest of Dodge's Virginia and North Carolina Express, and made arrangements, with the New York and Virginia Steamship Company for the transportation of their Express to Norfolk, Petersburg, and Richmond, and concluded arrangements with Messrs. H. D. Byrd & L. O.'B Branch, Esq's., of the Petersburg and Gaston, and Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road, they are now prepared to transmit to and from New York, or either of their Agencies, every description of *Merchandize, Valuable Packages*, Bank Notes, Specie, Notes, Drafts, Bills, &c., with the greatest expedition, and at the most economical rates. We shall spare no trouble or expense, in making this the popular *Express* of Virginia and North Carolina; our long experience in the business North and West, and our ample means to conduct the same, we hope, will be a sufficient guarantee to the Merchants, to direct their correspondents to dispatch their goods through PARISEN & KING'S EXPRESS. We also wish it distinctly understood that we are in *direct* opposition to the old monopoly. *Give us a trial.*

W. B. PARISEN, JAS. H. KING, } Proprietors. ASTOR HOUSE, N. Y.

J. D. GRONER, Norfolk, Va., W. D. TOWNES, Petersb'g, Va., M. V. L. MAULE, Rich'd, Va., } H. D. TURNER, Raleigh, N. C.

N. B. We would also ask the attention of merchants at the following places—Chapel Hill, Hillsborough, Greensborough, Fayetteville, Salem, Cheraw, Pittsborough, Ashborough, and Salisbury, to facilities offered them for the transmission of *light packages* by our Express from Raleigh; and all orders sent to our Agent, H. D. Turner, Esq., for us, will meet with prompt attention. P. & K.

☞ There is a splendid line of Steamers plying regularly between New York and Philadelphia, daily at 5 o'clock, p. m., and their freight from Philadelphia to New York is very low. The Steamers leaving Philadelphia on Tuesday and Friday connect with Parisen & King's Express for the South from N. Y. Wednesday and Saturday. Merchants ordering their goods, from Philadelphia, to care of Parisen & King's Express, New York, will find this a much quicker way to get their goods, and at one-half of the cost.

Raleigh, March 22, 1853. 39—1y.

House-Furnishing List.—Set No. 1, for Thirty Dollars.

THE following list of articles of good quality, which are all requisite in going to Housekeeping, may be had delivered in any part of the City, for thirty dollars, or any part at proportionate rates.

1 Kitchen Shovel, Tongs, and Poker, 1 Iron Tea-Kettle, 1 Tinned Iron Pot, 1 Tinned Iron Saucepan, 1 Soap-stone Griddle, 2 Tin Bake-Pans, 1 Tin Dripping Pan, 1 Tin Saucepan, 1 Small Tin-Kettle, 1 Pepper and Flour Dredge, 3 Tin Pie Plates, 1 Tin Wash-Basin, 1 Dish Pan, 3 Table and Tea-Spoons, Iron, 1 Chop-Knife and Bowl, 1 Tea and Coffee Canister, 2 Japanned Lamps, 1 Match Safe, 1 Chamber Pail, 2 Smoothing Irons, 2 Large Cedar Wash-Tubs, 1 Wash-Board, 3 Doz Clothes-Pins, 1 Pint Measure, 1 Set Table Mats, 1 Britannia Coffee Pot, 1 Britannia Tea Pot, 6 Knives and Forks, Stay Handles, 1 Pair Carvers to match, 1 Cork-screw and Tunnel, 1 Large Waiter, 2 Painted Pails, 1 Coal Hod, 1 Gridiron, 1 Fry Pan, 1 Cullender, 1 Coffee Boiler, 1 Tea Pot, 1 Grater, 1 Tin Dipper, 1 Egg Whip, 1 Basting Spoon, 1 Skimmer, 1 Ladle, 1 Meat Fork, 1 Meat Knife, 1 Knife Board, 2 Scrub Brushes, 1 Dust Pan, 1 Dust Brush, 2 Brooms, 1 Coffee Mill, 1 Clothes Horse, 1 Flour Seive, 1 Oil Filler, 1 Knife-Box, 1 Door Mat, 1 Kitchen Table, 1 Potato Masher, 1 Flour Pail, 1 Spice Box, 1 Pastry Board, 1 Rolling Pin, 1 Clothes Line.

H. D. TURNER,
N. C. Bookstore.

Raleigh, May 19, 1853. 53—

Travellers Going North,

BY the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, accommodation train, (which leaves Raleigh at 5 a. m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays,) are informed that they will find an accommodation train to convey them to Petersburg, by the Greenville and Roanoke Railroad, in ample time to connect with the Express mail line to Baltimore.

Travellers will find this the most certain route, as there are two daily mail lines from Petersburg, North, besides one daily steamboat line to Baltimore, and two twice a week to Philadelphia and New York, direct by steamships.

For tickets and other information, apply to the subscriber at Gaston. JAS. B. TILGHMAN.

Agent G. & R. R. R. Co.

Office Greensville, R R., N. C., Gaston, May 17, 1853. 53—1m.

Pleasant Grove Male Academy.

Wake Forest, N. C.

WILLIAM M. CRENSHAW, A. B., *Principal.*

THE next session of this institution will commence on the first Monday in July next. Board can be had for $6 50 per month, including washing, lights, and fuel. Tuition from $7 to $15 per session.

For further particulars address

DR. W. HARTSFIELD,
Forestville, N. C.

May 12th, 1853. 973—t15thJuly.

Notice to Country Merchants.

WE have been making large additions to our stock of

FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,

making our assortment as commanding as at any time during the season.

Merchants replenishing their stocks for the Summer months would find it to their interest to give us a call.

STEVENSON & WEDDELL,
Sycamore Street,
Petersburg, Va.

May 13th, 1853. 52—

N. B. Orders shall have our prompt attention. S. & W.

Raleigh and Gaston R. R. Company.

THE Stockholders of this Company are informed that Ceriificates of Stock have been prepared, and are now ready for delivery. Stockholders resident in Petersburg will apply to Thos. White, of that place; those of Warren County, to N. T. Green, Warrenton; those of Granville, to Thomas Miller and John S. Eaton; those of Franklin, to John G. King; and the rest will be delivered at office. W. W. VASS, *Treas.*

Raleigh, May 18, 1553. 53—3t

GUN, LOCK-SMITH, AND BELL-HANGER.

CHARLES KUESTER,

WOULD respectfully inform the Citizens of Raleigh and surrounding country that he has located permaneutly in Raleigh, and has opened a Shop on Wilmington Street, (in Dr. Cooke's brick-building,) where he will be found at all times, ready to execute any "Job" in his line, in a style that shall not be surpassed by any other person, and the charges shall always be moderate. CALL AND SEE.

Raleigh, February 21, 1853. 960—

Just Opened,

SOME very fine Bracelets, and full setts of Breast Pins, Ear Rings, something new.

PALMER & RAMSEY.

May 24, 1853. 54—

Commission Business.

THE undersigned will conduct a Foreign and Domestic Produce Commission business in the City of Petersburg, Va., under the firm of

STAINBACK & HARDEE.

Office, 3rd door West of Bollingbrook Hotel, North Side.

F. C. STAINBACK, W. H. HARDEE.

November 1st, 1852. 101—1y.

ANOTHER box of that celebrated Oronoko Brand of chewing Tobacco Received this day by

H. D. TURNER.

NORTH CAROLINA

MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

RALEIGH, N. C.

THIS Company has been in successful operation for more than sven years, and continues to take risks upon all classes of property in the State (except Steam Mills and Turpentine Distilleries,) upon favorable terms.

Its Policies now cover property amounting to $4,500,000, a large portion of which is in country risks; and its present capital is over Six Hundred Thousand Dollars, in bonds properly secured.

The average cost of Insurance upon the plan of this Company has been ess than one third of one per cen per annum, on all grades of property embraced in its operations.

The following persons have been elected Directors and Officers of this Company for the present year.

DIRECTORS:

Jos. G. B. Roulhac, C. W. D. Hutchings, Jno. R. Williams, John Primrose, H. D. Turner, S. W. Whiting, T. H. Selby, of Raleigh; Geo. McNeill, Fayetteville, Joshua G. Wright, Wilmington, Jas. E. Hoyt, Washington, James Sloan, Greensborough, John Cox, Edenton, Joshua Boner, Salem, Joseph H. Pool, Elizabeth City, F. F. Fagan, Plymouth, Alexander, Mitchell, Newbern, W. N. H. Smith, Murfreesborough, H. B. Williams, Charlotte, John B. Barrett, Milton, and A. T. Summy, Asheville.

All Directors are authorized to receive applications.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY:

J. G. B. Roulhac, President,
Henry D. Turner, Vice President,
S. W. Whiting, Treasurer,
J. C. Partridge, Secretary,
John H. Bryan, Attorney,
J. Hersman, General Agent.
S. W. Whiting, Jno. R. Williams, John Primrose, } Executive Committee.

All communications in reference to insurance should be addressed to the Secretary, post paid.

J. C. PARTRIDGE, Sec'y.

Raleigh, Jan. 11, 1853. 19—

GREENSBOROUGH

Mutual Life Insurance & Trust Co'y.

THIS Company, as its name indicates, is upon the *mutual principle*, and embraces two distinct departments, to wit: Life Insurance and Trust departments. This attractive combination offers to Policy holders double the ordinary security. without destroying their right to a full participation in the entire profits of the Company. Premiums will be received, in cash, either annually, semi-annually, or quarterly, as may be agreed upon at the time the Policy is issued.

In the TRUST DEPARTMENT, or Deposit System, the payments made to the Company are entirely optional with the Depositor, as regards the amount and the time at which they are made. A party may pay in as much or as little, (not less than one dollar,) and as often as may be convenient for him, without any obligation upon him to continue his payments—and may withdraw them at his pleasure.

So that, on the plan of this Company, there is created at one and the same time an assurance *payable at death—a fund available in sickness*—and *a provision for old age.*

☞ See Pamphlets furnished by the Company.

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY.

Directors—Ralph Gorrell, Lyndon Swaim, John A. Gilmer, D. F. Caldwell, Richard Greene, David McLean, Richard Sterling, John M. Logan, D. P. Weir, E. W. Ogburn, Robert M. Sloan, Robert P. Dick, Henry B. Elliott.

President—Ralph Gurrell.
Vice President—Lyndon Swaim.
Secretary and Treasurer—D. P. Weir.
Attorney—John A. Gilmer.
Examining Physician—Edwin Watson, M. D.
Consulting Physicians—D. C. Mebane, M. D.; J. L Cole, M. D.; D. P. Weir, M. D.
General Agent—William H. Cumming.

*** Any information relative to the Company may be had by addressing D. P. WEIR,

Secretary and Treasurer.

February 17th, 1853. 27—tf.

N. C. Mutual Life Insurance Company,

OFFICE RALEIGH, N. C.

THIS Company continues to insure the lives of all healthy White persons and Slaves.

The greatest risk taken on a single life is $5000. Slaves are insured for a term of one to five years for ¾ds their value.

OFFICERS.

Dr. Chas. E. Johnson, President,
Wm. D. Haywood, Vice President,
James F. Jordan, Secretary,
Wm. H. Jones, Treasurer,
Perrin Busbee, Attorney,
Dr. Wm. H. McKee, Examining Physician
J. Hersman, General Agent.

All losses are paid within 90 days after satisfactory proof is presented.

Blanks and Pamphlets, showing the plan of operation of the Company, may be had on application at the Office, or any of the Agencies. All letters on business should be addressed to JAMES F. JORDAN,

Secretary.

April 28, 1850. 51—

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS, FOR 1853.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to his friends and the public generally, that he has recently returned from the Northern Cities, and is daily receiving his SPRING and SUMMER supplies, embracing every thing new and beautiful, all of which were selected with great care, purchased on favorable terms and will be sold at low rates.

He is at this time in receipt of the following: Black, brown, blue, olive, green and other cloths of various grades:

Semoni, bl'k doeskin cas., fancy casimere, a beautiful assortment, some very pretty Vestings, of every variety and style.

Light silk Vestings for Weddings and Parties, very rich, Cravats, Stocks and Ties, plain and fancy, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, silk and cotton half-hose, Gloves, silk and ganze Undershirts, fine dress Shirts and Collars, a large assortment very cheap, Linen and Cotton Drawers; in fact every article usually found in a gentlemans' Furnishing Store.

He has also on hand a fine supply of Clothing, both of his own and foreign manufacture, any or all of which he would be pleased to exhibit, and to dispose of it at a small advance for Cash or six month's credit to punctual customers.

Cutting done at short notice.

ISAAC PROCTER,
Merchant Tailor.
Successor to Oliver & Procter.

April 15, 1853. 43—

MRS. WOLTERING

RESPECTFULLY announces to the Ladies of Raleigh and surrounding country that she is now receiving her FALL and WINTER STOCK oi FANCY GOODS, embracing China goods, fine iron-stone dinnersetts, tea-setts, and cups and saucers as fine as ever brought to this City.

Also, GROCERIES of every description. MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, &c., which will be sold low for cash.

Just Received, a fresh supply of CONFECTIONARIES.

Thankful for past favors, she solicits a continuance the same.

WILHELMINA WOLTERING.

Raleigh, Sept. 12th, 1851. 90 —

Umbrellas and Parasols.

GREEN and Black, Silk and Cotton Umbrellas.
Embr'd and Watered Parasols, all colors.
Black, Watered, Silk and Linen Parasols.
Ladies Black Silk Summer Umbrellas.

For sale by J. BROWN.

Raleigh, April 19, 1853. 44—

Mattings.

4-4 AND 5-4 White India Matting,
4-4 4-4 checked India Matting. J. BROWN.

April 19, 1853. 44—

NORTH-CAROLINA AND NORFOLK.

THE PRACTICAL HATTERS WOULD RESPECTFULLY call the attention of the "Trade" and "Dealers" to their stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER HATS,

the largest and best that has ever been offered in "NORFOLK," and not surpassed by any, and at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. They are confident that "Merchants" will find it to their advantage to call before making their 'purchases.' Those that are willing to extend to us their patronage, may rely on having 'GOODS,' whether of our own 'MANUFACTURE' or 'IMPORTED,' as 'FASHIONABLE.' 'FINE and CHEAP' as any 'Northern JOBBER.' We earnestly request 'Merchants' to call and be 'CONVINCED.' that we are prepared and *will* furnish every thing in our line on the best terms.

Ladies and Misses Bonnets, in great variety.

Canes and Umbrellas, wholesale.

CEPHALOMETRON!

THIS beautiful instrument is considered one of the greatest and most useful inventions of the age. It would be impossible by the minutest description to give a correct idea of its utility. HATS made by it will fit the most difficult heads, conforming to every protuberance and depression of the cranium, thus preventing the unpleasant feeling of a new HAT, and painful headache. We could give you certificates of PHYSICIANS and the experience of the TRADE, but would prefer that all may examine for themselves. No one can properly appreciate its advantages without having one of our superior HATS.

☞ HATS made to order in the most fashionable manner, and without extra charge.

STEVENS & BUTT,
No. 7, Market Square,
Norfolk, Va.

May 11, 1853. 51—tf

A. M. McPHEETERS,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT.

OFFICE AT No. 10, ROANOKE SQUARE,

NORFOLK, VA.

ALL packages to be forwarded by me, to be directed to my care at Portsmouth, Va., where they will receive my strict attention. All orders for Groceries promptly attended to and furnished at the lowest market price *without* commission.

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Geo. W. Mordecai, Pres't Bank of the State of N. C.,
C. Dewey, Cashier do do do.
W. H. Jones, Cashier Bank of Cape Fear,
L. O'B. Branch, Pres't Raleigh and Gaston Rond.
Thomas P. Devereux, Esq. Halifax, N. C.
H. D. Turner, J. Brown,
Williams & Haywood, J. M. Towles,
and John Primrose, Merchants, Raleigh.

May 9, 1853. 50—1y.

New Fancy and Confectionary Store,

ON MAIN STREET.

Between Messrs. Pomeroy's & Porter's Sign of

"BIG BOOT."

THE subscribers beg leave to inform the citizens of Raleigh and vicinity, that they have just opened a Store on Main Street. They are determined to give satisfaction to every one that will honor them with a call and will endeavor by all means to render the establishment a superior one of its kind. Their stock consists of the following articles:

Fancy Goods, &c.

French Cups and Saucers, Vases, Children's Tea setts, fine Baskets, Fans, Portemonnaies, Purses, Marbles, Pocket Inkstand, Looking Glasses of all kinds, Bronze Candlesticks, Soaps, Shaving Cream, Essences, Hair Tonics, side, tucking and dressing Combs, Pocket Knifes, Scissors, Hairpins, Needles, Tooth, Nail, Shaving, Comb, Cloth and Shoe brushes, Accordeans, Violins, Flutes, Banjos, Walking Canes, Whips, Guns and Pistols, &c., &c.

Confectionary, &c.

Candies of all deseriptions, Chocolate, Maccaroni, Bunch and Layer Raisins in whole, quarter and eighth boxes, Figs, Prunes, Currants, Preserved Ginger, Citron, Sardines in whole, half, and quarter boxes Oranges, Lemons, Pickles and Preserves in 2-4, 1-4 and 1-8 jars, Filberts, Almonds, Peacan, Walnut, Palm, Cocoa and Pea Nuts, &c.

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The choicest brands of Havannah, Principie and Regalia Cigars from 16 to 50 dollars per thousand.

Best lump and twisted chewing Tobacco, from 25 cts. to $1,15 per pound.

Groceries.

A general assortment. F. MAHLER &Co.

Raleigh, May 3, 1853. 48—

NEW BRICK MACHINE

Now in Successful Operation in BALTIMORE!

IT is so simple that any intelligent negro can learn to manage it in two or three days. You have merely to shovel clay into a box and attach a horse to the sweep. The machine tempers the clay and moulds the bricks in the most perfect manner, such as the most experienced hand can scarcely equal. When burned they are found to be stronger and more solid than those made in the usual way, because the clay is worked stiffer under the pressure of the screw than it is possible to mould by hand. It requires one man to shovel in the clay, a boy to put in the empty moulds, another to pass them when filled to the barrow, a third to wheel them to the floor, a fourth to discharge them, a fifth as superumerary to wait on the rest—in all one man, a horse and five boys, make from eight to ten thousand bricks per day. The gold medal was awarded for it by the Maryland Institute in November, 1852. Price of the four mould machine $250—of the five mould $300, including Patent.

Address F. H. SMITH, Baltimore, Md.

FRANCIS H. SMITH.

May 9, 1853. 50—t8Jn.

Office R. & G. R. R. Company,

MAY 5, 1853.

ON and after Monday 9th inst., the Accommodation Train will leave Raleigh at 5 A. M., Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, and return the same days, leaving Gaston at 4 P. M. or on the arrival of the Cars from Weldon.

The train will connect both ways with the day train to and from Wilmington, and the trains on the Seaboard Road.

Raleigh, May 9, 1853. 50—tf.

NOTICE.

THE 4th Annual Meeting of the Members of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, will be held, at the Office of the Company, on the 1st Monday in July next, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

JAMES F JORDAN, Secretary.

Raleigh, June 2d, 1853. 58—id.

DAN RIVER INSTITUTE.

THE Spring Session of this School will close on the 31st May, and the Fall Session commences on the 5th July.

A. C. LINDSEY.

Yanceyville, May 24th, 1853. 56—3t.

Bank of the State of North Carolina,

RALEIGH, May 4, 1853.

RESOLVED that the Branch of this Bank, at Elizabeth City, be discontinued, from and after the first day of June, 1854.

By order of the Board of Directory.

C. DEWEY.

May 13, 1853. 52—6w.

PELELTIER'S SARSAPARILLA. A fresh supply just received, and for sale by

P. F. PESCUD.

For Sale.

A FIRST-RATE BUGGY. Enquire at this office.

June 8th, 1853. 59—

CLOTHING EMPORIUM!

"We Study to Please."

THE Subscriber has just returned from the Northern Cities, where he has been engaged in superintending the manufacture of his entire

STOCK OF CLOTHING,

Which is now being opened

AT HIS NEW STORE.

Old Stand,

Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C.

His Store is fitted up in a style of elegance, superior to any in the State, and his Stock presents attractions, rarely to be seen, except in the large assortments of the Northern cities. E. L. HARDING.

Raleigh, October 4th, 1852. 83

JUST IN TIME!

PAPER-HANGING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

THE subscriber has just received 22 doz. rolls of superior Paper, consisting of gilded, glazed and various other figures, together with bordering of all kinds, which will enable him to do all kinds of paper-hanging in the neatest and most workman-like manner.

Also, a supply of Window-Curtains, Fire Screens, Reflection Paper.

All persons wishing anything in the paper line could not fail to be suited by calling on me, as I have paper at prices ranging from fifty cents to $1 50 per roll.

All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. J. HENRY HARRISS,

Upholsterer and Mattress-Maker.

Raleigh, April 15, 1853. 44—

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

By Parisen & King's Express.

Direct From Our Manufactory.

WITHIN the last week we have received 100 Fine Cloth Dress and Frock Coats, 300 Superior Paris Linen Sacks and Sack French Coats, 200 White and Colored Marseille Vests.

E. L. HARDING.

May 9th, 1853. 50—

Boots and Shoes.

CORK Sole Boots, with Double Uppers at the low price of $4,50. Double Sole Nailed Bottom Boots for Waggoners and Rail Road Hands. A large Stock of Double and Single Sole Brogans will be sold cheap. Ladies Shoes and Bootees, Manufactured by Robinson & Co.

Call and examine our Stock before buying elsewhere.

SELBY & MURRAY.

ED. GRAHAM HAYWOOD,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

RALEIGH, N. C.,

WILL practice in the Courts of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the Counties of Wake, Johnston, and Chatham. He is to be found at the office lately occupied by Hon Will. H. Haywood, Jr., dec'd.

January 1, 1853. 14—6mw&sw.

CLAUDIUS B. SANDERS,

Smithfield, N. C.,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WILL attend the Courts of Johnston, Wayne and Nash Counties.

January 10th, 1853. 19—w&swly.

CLEMENT G. WRIGHT,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

☞ Office corner of Green and Bow Streets.

January 31st, 1853. 22—wly.

Hull's Tallow Candles.

10 BOXES, Just received. Also, 5 Bags Old Java Coffee. J. BROWN.

Raleigh, February 14, 1853. 26—

French Accordeons.

A SPLENDID lot of French Accordeons—Nos. 4 5, 8, 11, 18, 17, 71, 72, just opened at the N. C. MUSIC STORE.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

A FRESH supply of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, just received at Pescud's DRUG STORE.

Macaroni.

BEST quality Macaroni in Store and for sale by JAMES McKIMMON.

April 1st, 1853. 39—

FOR SALE.

A TWO-STORY Dwelling House, with all necessary out buildings, pleasantly situated in the Western Ward in this City. Apply to

J. J

STATE FAIR.

It is now a "fixed fact," that a Fair will be held in this City on the 18th of October next, for the exhibition of improvements in all branches of industry, and especially in the agricultural and mechanical pursuits. The proceedings of the State Agricultural Society on this important subject, which we publish in to-day's Star, will, therefore, be read with lively interest by all classes of our readers, in every part of the State; and every citizen, who takes an interest in her welfare and advancement, will exert himself to give encouragement and success to the Fair. As it is designed for the special benefit of the Farmers and Mechanics, we call upon them in every section of the State, to arouse and lay hold upon the matter with zeal and vigor—to identify themselves at once with the friends of improvement, and give their hearty and active cooperation in all things necessary to insure an encouraging and profitable display—to set about making improvements to prepare something for exhibition, to contribute to the fund to be distributed in premiums, to join the State Agricultural Society, and to be ready to attend the Fair in person.

We are gratified to learn that preparations will be made for a respectable show for a beginning—that the Farmers and Mechanics in some sections are already preparing to enter the lists as competitors in various departments, that the spirit is spreading with encouraging rapidity in some sections of the State, and that it is already calculated twenty-five or thirty thousand persons will attend. May we not expect more? In the times of high party excitement, we have seen many thousands brought together here, with gorgeous banners and badges and emblems, from every direction, at a much shorter notice. Will the people of North Carolina be less ready to move in a matter of infinitely more importance to every man, woman and child within her borders? What section, or county, or individual, will be so craven in spirit as to shrink from this noble contest? Who can still remain so cold and motionless, as to require coals of fire to be heaped upon their backs to drive them out of their shells? Are not all with their heads out, and crawling, at least, by this time? Will there not be a laudable rivalry manifested by every County Society? Will not every section resolve and strive not to be out done by another? And may we not expect such a stir as was never before witnessed by the present generation in North Carolina, in giving support to, and making due preparations for, the State Fair? And may we not expect to see foremost in this work of patriotism and progress, the best and noblest of our population—*the Fair?*

Raleigh Star.

Proceedings of the State Agricultural Society.

RALEIGH, N. C.,
Wednesday, May 25th, 1853.

At a called meeting of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, held in the City of Raleigh, this day (Wednesday, May 25th,) in the Court House, the President, Mr. Dancy, of Edgecombe County, took the Chair, and called the Society to order; after which the Secretary read the Constitution and By-Laws.

The names of the officers and members of the Society were ordered to be published. They are as follows, to-wit:

OFFICERS OF N. C. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

1. President, John Sessums Dancy, of Edgecombe.
2. Vice Presidents, W. R. Poole, of Wake.
3. " N. W. Woodfin, of Buncombe.
4. " D. Macdairmid, Cumberland.
5. " Ralph Gorrell, of Guilford.
6. Rec. Secretary, Jas. F. Taylor, of Wake.
7. Cor. Secretary, Jno. F. Tompkins, of Beaufort.
8. Treasurer, W. W. Whitaker, of Wake.

MEMBERS OF N. C. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

9. John A. Everett, Jr.	Onslow,
10. S. W. Humphrey,	"
11. W. H. Tripp,	Beaufort,
12. W. F. Cowan,	New Hanover,
13. B. F. Williams,	
14. J. Buxton Williams,	Warren,
15. J. S. Spruill,	Bertie,
16. Lewis Thompson,	"
17. Will. T. Smith,	Halifax,
18. R. H. Smith,	"
19. H. H. Waters,	Brunswick,
20. Neil. Macdugald,	Cumberland,
21. Alpheus Jones,	Wake,
22. Sidney Weller,	Halifax,
23. W. S. Battle,	Edgecombe,
24. Robert Norfleet,	"
25. Henry Mordecai,	Wake,
26. David W. Sanders,	Onslow,
27. J. Nixon,	Wake,
28. David Hinton,	"
29. Charles Manly,	"
30. W. H. Scott,	"
31. Henry Elliott,	Cumberland,
32. Robert Strange,	"
33. Edward Lee Winslow,	"
34. Charles L. Hinton,	Wake,
35. Thomas J. Lemay,	"
36. W. A. Eaton,	Granville,
37. B. F. Moore,	Wake,
38. P. F. Pescud,	"
39. W. Henry Jones,	"
40. James M. Towles,	"
41. Thos. H. Wright,	New Hanover,
42. Wm. Boylan,	Wake,
43. W. L. Pomeroy,	"
44. W. Crudup,	Granville,
45. Thos. D. Hogg,	Wake,
46. R. W. Hyman,	Warren,
47. Charles B. Root,	Wake,
48. Edward Alston Crudup,	Franklin,
49. Thomas R. Fentress,	Wake,
50. William W. Holden,	"
51. Perrin Busbee,	"
52. Eldrige Smith,	"
53. A. M. Gorman,	"
54. J. E. Williamson,	Caswell,
55. W. R. Scott,	Wake,
56. E. P. Guion,	"
57. Robert W. Haywood,	"
58. Henry K. Burgwin,	Northampton,
59. John Hutchins,	Wake,
60. Jacob Mordecai,	"
61. Spencer Maclenahan,	Chatham,
62. David S. Reid,	Rockingham,
63. John C. McRae,	New Hanover,
64. Alex. McRae,	"
65. Thomas P. Burgwin,	Northampton,
66. Robert R. Foreman,	Pitt,
67. H. J. B. Clark,	Warren,
68. Joseph Bonner,	Beaufort,
69. Benj. Trollinger,	Alamance,
70. George T. Cooke,	Wake,

Mr. Smith, of Halifax, moved the following resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed by the President, and report at next meeting, to confer with the Council of the City of Raleigh, as to the conditions upon which they will authorize an appropriation to aid the N. C. Agricultural Society in holding its annual Fair of all industrial operations in the City of Raleigh.

Which, after some discussion, was adopted and the following gentlemen were appointed by the President, namely: Messrs. Tompkins, Poole, Lemay, H. Mordecai, and W. W. Whitaker.

The President called attention to the 3rd article of the By-Laws, to-wit: "That it shall be the duty of the President to appoint a committee of three to procure a speaker to deliver an annual address," etc., at the next Fair; when, the following gentlemen were appointed: Dr. Tompkins, of Beaufort, Mr. Smith, of Halifax, Mr. D. Hinton of Wake.

After further remarks made by various members on the subject of holding the October Fair, on motion of Mr. Nixon, adjourned to meet at four o'clock, in the Senate Chamber.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—SENATE CHAMBER.

The Agricultural Society met according to adjournment in the Senate Chamber, at four P. M.; when the committees being called on by the President, for their reports, Dr. Tompkins, chairman of the committee of conference with the City Council, &c., had not come to any proper arrangement, and requested further time, which was allowed. The other committee likewise desired more time to act, which was also granted.

There being nothing before the Society for action, Mr. Elliott, of Cumberland, was called on for a speech, and responded in stirring appeals to the farmers of the State upon the importance of joining the Society, and thereby encouraging, more than any other way, the agricultural resources of North Carolina, and of promoting a better system throughout the whole State—a better and a more certain system for improvement of lands, etc.

Dr. Tompkins, of Beaufort, addressed the Society, upon the importance of holding State Fairs, and on the importance of holding a State Agricultural Fair, in October next, and the manner of raising funds for defraying expenses of the same, etc.

Mr. Moore, of Wake, spoke of the very marked improvement he had already witnessed, as resulting from the county societies that had been established, and alluded in terms of high commendation to the county of Edgecombe. And in various other counties he had seen large and extensive heaps of compost, *etc.*, where a few years ago, such a sight had not been found in the State—of the great facility of making highly stimulating manure for sundry crops, &c.

Judge Strange, of Cumberland, was next called on, but had left the Chamber, when Governor Reid was called out, and addressed the Society in appropriate remarks upon the great advantages other States had realized in the maintenance of Agricultural Associations and Mechanical Societies, for encouraging the arts, and the mutual assistance afforded each class of the community by supplying what was wanted, and was essential to the very existence of the other, &c.

Mr. Winslow, of Cumberland, was called up, and stated that his county Society President, Mr. Elliott, had expressed his own sentiments and those of his country, and that he had nothing further at present to add.

Mr. Whitaker, of Wake, made a few remarks, on the suitableness of holding the October Fair in Raleigh, and the manner of raising the necessary funds to defray expenses—the effect that each member might have by proper exertion, in inducing farmers to join the Society, &c.

On motion of Mr. Lemay, the Society adjourned to meet at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

THURSDAY, May 26, 1853.

The Society met according to adjournment at nine o'clock, Thursday morning. The journal was read and the following names of delegates were handed in by Mr. Smith, of Halifax, from the Scotland-Neck Agricultural Society to-wit:

Messrs. W. J. Hill, Jacob Higgs, R. H. Smith, J. N. Smith, Burwell Dunn, S. J. Baker, W. R Smith, P. E. Smith, S. Pittman, W. H. Shields, J. Bryant.

Mr. Elliott, of Cumberland, handed in the names of delegates that were appointed to attend from the County Agricultural Society of Cumberland, to-wit:

Messrs. Henry Elliott, Robert Strange, Edward Lee Winslow, A. S. McNeil, Joel Williams, E. J. Hale.

The committees being called on for reports by the President, Dr. Tompkins stated that the committee had waited on the Board of Commissioners of the City of Raleigh, and would submit the following resolutions as their action in the premises, for the consideration of the Society, to wit:

RALEIGH, May 25, 1853.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the city of Raleigh, the following resolutions was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners will subscribe and pay one half the amount which may be necessary to make the proper arrangements for holding the annual Fair of the State Agricultural Society, provided that the entire cost of the land and buildings shall not exceed the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, and upon condition that an equal amount be raised by private subscription: That the Commissioners will pay the amount subscribed on the part of the City in instalments from time to time, whenever the amount shall be paid by persons or Societies subscribing the balance; the property to be vested in the Commissioners of the City of Raleigh in Trust for the use of the State Agricultural Society, to be subject to the control and regulations of the said Society, upon satisfactory assurance being given to the Commissioners that the annual Fair shall be located permanently at the City of Raleigh.

Resolved, That the expenditure of this fund be entrusted (the State and Wake County Societies concurring) to a committee of two on the part of each of the Societies, and three on the part of this Board, a majority of which committee shall be necessary to act.

A true copy from Records of City.

J. J. CHRISTOPHERS, Clerk.

Mr. Moore moved that the resolutions of the City Board be entered on the journal, which was adopted, and he then introduced the following preamble and resolution, which, after discussion between Messrs. Moore, Tompkins and others, was passed, viz:

WHEREAS, The City Council of Raleigh has proposed to subscribe the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500) towards the erection of the necessary buildings, and preparing the grounds to hold the annual Fairs of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, on the condition specified in the foregoing resolution; and, whereas, strong assurances are given by the members of the Wake county Agricultural Society, that a considerable portion of the sum necessary thus to be subscribed will be raised by the Wake County Agricultural Society: It is therefore

Resolved, That the resolutions of the City Council be acceded to, and that a committe of three be appointed by the President as an assistant committee, to select some suitable location, within the City of Raleigh, or within one mile thereof, to be the permanent location, and submit the same to the next meeting of the Society; and that in the meantime the Committee of Arrangements, appointed under the fifth article of By-Laws, shall make all necessary arrangements for the purposes therein mentioned.

The following three gentlemen constitute the assistant committe appointed under the above resolution, viz: Messrs. B. F. Moore, A. M. Gorman, and T. J. Lemay.

Mr. Lemay introduced the following resolution, which was adopted;

Resolved, That a committee of four be oppointed by the President to wait on the farmers and mechanics of Wake and solicit them to join the North Carolina Agricultral Society, and prepare stock, &c., for the exhibition. Messrs. Lemay, Root, Fentress and Scott were placed upon the committee.

Mr. Elliott, of Cumberland, moved that the Secretary of each county Society be requested to solicit farmers and mechanics of their respective counties to become members of the State Agricultural Society, and receive the fees, and report to the Secretary and Treasurer of the North Carolina Agricultural Society; which, after discussion by Mr. Elliott and others, was passed.

Mr. Tompkins, from Beaufort, introduced the following resolution, which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the Corresponding Secretary address a circular to stock raisers and mechanics of other States, inviting them to exhibit specimens of their skill and enterprise at the annual Fair to be held on the 18th of October next, at the City of Raleigh.

Mr. Tompkins likewise introduced and discussed the annexed resolution, which, as amended, was passed, to wit:

Resolved, That the Corresponding Secretary be ordered to open a correspondence with the Presidents and Directors of the various railways, plankroads, etc., in this State, asking permission to allow all specimens of stock and mechanism to pass and repass free of any charge to and from the State Fair.

Mr. Tompkins then moved that a committe of two members of the Committee of Arrangements be appointed by Mr. Elliot, Chairman of said committee, to visit Baltimore and examine the grounds and buildings used for holding the State Agricultural Fairs of Maryland, and report to the Committee of Arrangements the result of their observations, including the cost of construction and arranging the same, which resolution was adopted, two members of the committee offering their services to go at their own expense.

Mr. Taylor, of Wake, introduced an amendment to a resolution introduced by Dr. Tompkins, which was accepted, and adopted, to wit:

"That the Treasurer be authorized to purchase Fifty Dollars worth of the Farmer's Journal containing the proceedings and journal of the N. C. Agricultural Society, and distribute them generally among all the members of the Society."

Mr. Smith, of Halifax, moved the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted, viz:

Resolved, That the "Farmer's Journal" edited by Dr. John F. Tompkins, be considered as the organ of this Society, through which its publications be made, and that it be recommended to the Farmers of the State, as an agricultural journal deserving their patronage and support.

Mr. Taylor introduced the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the members of the County Agricultural Societies of this State be constituted honorary members of the N. C. Agricultural Society, entitling them to all privileges except voting, and be considered full members, only upon complying with the requisitions of the Constitution and By-laws like all other persons.

Resolved, That each County Agricultural Society in this State be written to by the Corresponding Secretary, and requested to aid in establishing a fund for Premiums, to be granted at the Fair in October next, held in the City of Raleigh.

Resolved, That the names and counties of residence of all members of this Society be published and circulated under the same order, with the Pamphlet of Constitution and By laws and the Journal.

On motion,

Resolved, That the necessary expenses of holding this meeting of the Society be paid by the Treasurer of the same.

The President made the following appointments:

L. W. Humphrey, of Onslow, Chief Marshal; William H. Tripp, Beaufort, Henry Mordecai, Wake, W. S. Battle, Edgecombe, William H. Scott, Wake, Thos. D. Hogg, Wake, Assistants.

Committee of Arrangements, any three of whom may act: J. Nixon, of Raleigh, Chairman; W. R. Poole, Wake, Thomas J. Lemay, Wake, W. W. Whitaker, Wake, W. W. Holden, Wake, J. F. Tompkins, Beaufort, Robert Norfleet, Edgecombe, R. W. Hyman, Warren, Alpheus Jones, Wake.

Executive Committee, any three of whom may act: Henry Elliot, of Cumberland, Chairman; Lewis Thompson, Bertie, R. H. Smith, Halifax, N. W. Woodfin, Buncombe, H. W. Waters, Brunswick, J. B. Williams, Warren, Charles Manly, Wake, Robert Strange, Cumberland, W. A. Eaton, Granville, H. R. Burgwin, Northampton, W. H. Jones, Wake, E P. Guion, Wake, E. A. Crudup, Franklin, Thos. H. Wright, New Hanover, John Hutchins, Wake.

The Society took a recess until 8 o'clock, P. M.

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8 O'CLOCK, P. M.

The Society met, and after some discussion, adjourned to meet in Raleigh on the 18th of October next, the time fixed for the annual meeting, when the Fair will also be held, and an Agricultural oration delivered.

JOHN S. DANCY, President.

JAMES F. TAYLOR, Secretary.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION OF THE 2D CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

The Delegates appointed by the several counties composing the 2d Congressional District of the State of North Carolina, having assembled in the Court House at Newbern on the 9th day of June—

On motion of Wm. B. Gulick, Wm. G. Bryan, Esqr., of Craven, was called to the Chair temporarily, and on motion of Geo. S. Stevenson, L. W. Humphrey, of Onslow, and S. W. Bright, of Lenoir, were appointed Secretaries.

On motion of Wm. Robinson, the counties embraced within the 2d Congressional District were called over, and the names of the delegates recorded as follows:

WAYNE—John Wooten, R. W. Best, Erasmas Smith, Josiah Fields, R. D. Hinson, Dr. James M. Davis, Lewis Whitfield, Stephen D. Philips, Zadoc L. Thompson, J. V. Sherard, William Robinson, Wm. B. Gulick.

LENOIR—Council Wooten, James Jones, George Jones, Jas. W. Morris, Shade Wooten, S. Herring, Franklin Poole, T. F. Pridgen, Amos Taylor, Simon W. Bright, Col. James Davis, John P. Wooten, Geo. W. Venters, John S. Davis, Dr. Ira Davis.

GREENE—Dr. D. G. W. Ward.

CRAVEN—William G. Bryan, I. Disosway, Hardy B. Lane, C. B. Wood, James E. Morris, Geo. W. Dixon, sen., Stephen D. Sparrow, N. H. Street, Wm. G. Singleton, George S. Stevenson, H. C. Jones, F. P. Latham, S. Pittman, R. N. Taylor, Stephen G. Barrington, Benj. F. Tucker, C. V. Swan, George Reel, E. C. Pasteur, Isham Jackson, Augustus Latham, Moses W. Jarvis, James R. Cole, Bryan Jones, James C. Stevenson, Geo. W. Dixon, jr., Major Philips, James P. Wooten, Wesley Gray, Amos J. Allen, Jacob Rount, Raymond Castex, H. G. Butler, Rigdon Moore, John A. Hodge, L. B. Herritage, John Chadwick, Col. John M. Bryan, Philemon Holland, Washington Carman, Dr. Wm. N. Street, John N. Clemons.

JONES—Nathan Foscue, Richard Oldfield, Wm. P. Ward, Franklin Foy, O. S. Griffin, E. W. Haywood, J. H. Nethercott, Benjamin Askew, D. Perry, J. A. Stanly, E. B. Isler, A. Shelfer, Thomas Mades, J. A. McDaniel, Freeman Smith,

ONSLOW—L. W. Humphrey, J. A. Averitt, jr., Thomas Henderson, William J. Gibson, Ezekiel Henderson, Robert S. McLean.

CARTERET—Levi Oglesby, Geo. W. Styron, Josiah F. Bell, W. W. Lewis, Levi T. Oglesby, Wm. J. Potter.

BEAUFORT—Benjamin F. Harding, B. F. Golley, Charles C. Archbell.

PITT—Levi Dawson, Blount C. Pearce, G. E. B. Singeltary. J. Brown.

EDGECOMBE—Wm. Harrall, John Leigh, Wm. H. Johnson, Elza Taylor, L. D. Pender.

HYDE—Dr. Milton Selby, J. S. Mann, Josiah Swindell, David S. Gibbs, Richard Howard.

On motion of I. Disosway, the Chairman was requsted to appoint a Committee of seven to report officers for the permanent organization of the Convention. The following gentlemen were appointed said Committee: I. Disosoway, Craven, Zadoc L. Thompson, Wayne, Levi Dawson, Pitt, L. D. Pender, Edgecombe, Nathan Foscue, Jones, Dr. Milton Selby, Hyde, Wm. J. Potter, Carteret.

After a short retirement for consultation the Committee presented the following report, which was unanimously adopted by the Convention:

For President, Dr. D. G. W. Ward, of Greene; Vice Presidents, William B. Gulick, of Wayne, Council Wooten, of Lenoir, Levi Oglesby, of Carteret, and David S. Gibbs, of Hyde; Secretaries, L. W. Humphrey, of Onslow, Simon W. Bright, of Lenoir, and L. D. Pender, of Edgecombe.

The President then took the Chair, and in doing so, returned his thanks to the Convention for the honor conferred on him, in a short and appropriate speech.

On motion of Geo. S. Stevenson, Esq, a committee composed of one delegate from each county, was appointed by the Chair, to prepare resolutions for the action of the Convention. The following gentlemen were appointed said committee: George S. Stevenson, of Craven, John V. Sherard, of Wayne, Wm. P. Ward, of Jones, L. W. Humphrey, of Onslow, W. J. Potter, of Carteret, B. F. Harding, of Beaufort, Geo. E. B. Singeltary, of Pitt, W. H. Johnson, of Edgecombe, Joseph Swindell, of Hyde, Col. James Davis, of Lenoir, and D. G. W. Ward, or Greene.

On motion, the Convention then took a recess until 4 o'clock, P. M.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Convention re-assembled at 4 o'clock, P. M.

The committee to whom was referred the drafting of resolutions, reported through Geo. S. Stevenson, Esq, Chairman, the following series:

The Convention of the Democratic party of the 2d Congressional District assembled to nominate a candidate for the House of Representatives of the next Congress, adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved, That in all the great principles of the Democratic party still abides our faith and confidence, and no time serving policy can induce us to turn either to the right hand or to the left.

Resolved, That we recognized those principles as fully set forth in the Baltimore platform of 1852, and in the inaugural address of President Pierce.

Resolved, That the triumph of the Democratic party in the election of Franklin Pierce, gives peace and security to the Republic, is a settlement of all sectional differences, and guarantees the integrity of the Union.

Resolved, That to perpetuate the triumph of these principles, and to give support to the administration of President Pierce, we will firmly and unitedly sustain the nominee of this Convention.

The Committee also reported the following additional resolution which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in the death of the Hon. William R. King, late Vice President of the United States, the Republic has lost one of its brightest ornaments and firmest patriots, and her counsels been deprived of an experienced and honest Statesman, whose long life of useful labor honoured the party to which he belonged, and shed lustre upon this his Native State.

The following resolution was submitted by Wm. Robinson, Esq., which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in balloting for a candidate for Congress, each county composing the District, shall be entitled to as many votes as it has representatives in the House of Commons of the General Assembly, and that a majority of all the votes cast shall decide the nomination.

Geo. S. Stevenson, Esq., then moved that the Convention proceed to the nomination of a candidate for Congress, to be nominated to the Convention, in a handsome speech, THOMAS RUFFIN, of Wayne, as a suitable person upon whom to confer this honor.

The counties having been called over, the vote of each was announced as follows: For Thomas Ruffin—Wayne 2 votes, Green 1, Lenoir 1, Craven 2, Jones 1, Onslow 1, Carteret 1, Beaufort 2, Pitt 2, Edgecombe 2, Hyde 1—16.

The President then announced that THOMAS RUFFIN, of Wayne, having received all the votes cast, was unanimously chosen the candidate for Congress in this the 2d Congressional District.

On motion of John V. Sherard, Esq., a committee of five was appointed by the Chair to inform Thos. Ruffin of his nomination, by the Convention, and request his acceptance of the same. The following gentlemen were appointed said Committee: L. W. Humphrey, of Onslow, Benj. Askew, of Jones, L. D. Pender, of Edgecombe, Council Wooten of Lenoir, and Dr. Selby, of Hyde.

The Convention was then entertained by spirited and interesting speeches from Mr. Bright of Lenoir, Mr. Johnson and Mr. Pender of Edgecombe, Mr. Street and Mr. Stevenson of Craven, and Mr. Robinson of Wayne.

On motion of Gen. Singeltary, the thanks of the Convention were unanimously tendered to the President, Vice Presidents and Secretaries, for the satisfactory manner in which they had discharged their respective duties.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the proceedings of this Convention be published in the Republican and Patriot, and that the Tarborough Southerner and Raleigh Standard copy the same.

A motion was then adopted that the Convention adjourn *sine die*. In rising to announce the adjournment, the President congratulated the Convention on its harmonious action throughout, and the satisfactory result of its deliberations, and thanking the Convention for the honor they had done him, and through him upon the county he represented he declared the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

D. G. W. WARD, *President.*

W. B. GULICK, COUNCIL WOOTEN, DAVID S. GIBBS, LEVI OGLESBY, *Vice Presidents.*

L. D. PENDER, S. W. BRIGHT, L. W. HUMPHREY, *Secretaries.*

RAIL ROAD MEETING IN MILTON, N. C.

Pursuant to notice previously given, a very large and respectable meeting of the citizens of the town of Milton and its vicinity was held at the "Milton Hotel," on Saturday the 4th of June, 1853, for the purpose of taking into consideration the proposed extensions of the "Roanoke Valley Rail Road," from Clarksville, Va. to Milton, N. C.

On motion of Samuel Watkins, Esq., Dr. John T. Garland, was called to the Chair, and, on motion of Dr. William M. Broocks, T. A. Donoho was requested to act as secretary.

The Chairman having briefly explained the object of the meeting, on motion of T. A. Donoho, a committee consisting of N. J. Palmer, Dr. Willie Jones, Dr. Wm. L. Stamps and Fielding B. Lewis, esq. was appointed to draft resolutions and prepare business for the action of the meeting.

The Committee having retired, at the call of the meeting, it was addressed in a very appropriate and effective manner by Munford McGee, Esq., at the conclusion of which Mr. Palmer, from the committee, reported the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, the citizens of Clarksville, Va. have, through a public meeting, invited a Convention, composed of Delegates from neighboring Counties, Towns and Cities in Virginia and North Carolina, to assemble in that place on Wednesday the 6th of July next, for the purpose of extending the Roanoke and Valley Rail Road from Clarksville to Milton. Therefore,

Resolved. That this meeting most heartily approve of this proposed extension, and that the Chairman appoint thirty-five delegates from Milton and its vicinity to attend said Convention.

Resolved. That this meeting recommend that, as the time appointed for holding the said Convention will conflict with the session of Caswell County Court, the time suggested by the citizens of Person county, to wit. the 13th of July, next, be fixed upon for the meeting of said Convention.

Resolved, That this meeting recommend that a general meeting of the citizens of Caswell county be held at Yanceyville on Tuesday of the ensuing County Court, on the subject of the proposed extension of the R. and V. R. R., the same being a matter in which they are all interested.

After the reading of the Resolutions the meeting was addressed by N. J. Palmer, Dr. C. H. Jordan, T. A. Donoho and P. S. Henson, Esq., when the question was taken and the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The Chairman then appointed the following gentlemen Delegates under the 1st resolution, to viz.—John Wilson, Dr. C. R. Dodson, Samuel Watkins, Joseph J. Lawson, Geo. A. Smith, Jarvis Friou, Field. B. Lewis, James M. Allen, Dr. Wm. L. Stamps C. H. Richmond, N. J. Palmer, R. B. Cuningham, Dr. Willie Jones, G. W. Thompson, M. McGehee, Samuel B. Holder, N. M. Lewis, N. L. Walker, Dr. W. M. Broocks, Henry N. Holden, Dabney Terry, C. N. B. Evans, Dr. John Wilson, Geo. W. Johnston, A. G. Stevans, P. S. Henson, Sam'l R. Thornton, J. W. Lewis, Benj. Hines, Glenn Garland, J. B. Barrett, Sam'l B. Jenings, Alfred L. Ball, R. H. Lewis, and John Word.

On motion, the Chairman and Secretary were added to the number.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the Chairman and Secretary, and published in the "Milton Chronicle," with a request that the Yanceyville, Weldon, Warrenton, Wilmington, Petersburg, Norfolk, Porthmouth and Baltimore papers copy.

On motion, the meeting then odjourned.

JOHN T. GARLAND, *Ch'n.*

T. A. DONOHO, *Sec'y.*

DISTRICT CONVENTION. A meeting of the Democracy of Johnston County was held at Smithfield on Saturday 4th inst., which adopted resolutions in favor of a convention to nominate a candidate for Congress for this district, and appointed 30 delegates to said convention, which is recommended to be held in Raleigh on Thursday, 30th inst.

The Standard believes that the Democrats of Johnston who have moved in this matter are actuated by none other than the best motives; desiring but the unanimity of the party and to preclude all possibility of the district being misrepresented by a Whig. We have never thought there was much probability of the election of a Whig under existing circumstances and, consequently, have expressed the opinion that there was no necessity for a convention. If those, however, living nearer the metropolis and knowing the ropes better than we upon the outskirts have an opportunity of doing, think that a convention is requisite to certain success, why of course a convention should be held. It should, if held, be so constituted as to give a full and fair expression of the wishes of the entire Democracy of the District, otherwise, instead of healing, it will widen any division in the ranks that may now exist. Warren desires to be represented in Congress by a Democrat and if a convention be requisite to the attainment of that end she will, no doubt, go into a convention.

We have, in another place, noticed the meeting of the Democracy of Johnston county at which a convention for the 4th Congressional District is recommended. We hope that those in this county having the good of the party at heart, will reflect on the matter and communicate with us on the subject, in order that, if the proposal meets, with favor, we may be able to give notice for a county meeting, as soon as possible. If there be a meeting, it must be held some days prior to the 30th, that the delegates may have time to reach Raleigh on that day.

We suggest Saturday the 25th inst., for holding the county meeting, if it be determined to hold one at all. *Warrenton News.*

GREAT EARTHQUAKE IN THE MOLUCCAS. There was a terrific earthquake and marine convulsion at Banda Neira on the 16th November. The houses public or private, were reduced to heaps of ruins. The seaquake was, if possible the most terrible. The Singapore Free Press describes the latter, wherein more than sixty persons lost their lives. From the islands Resengion and Ag, and from Corrm, Amboina and Ternante, we learn that the same earthquake was felt there.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

CHARLOTTE, May 26, 1853.

To His Excellency, DAVID S. REID:

SIR: I have been in this place one week, and have visited the most important points of the County; I have divided my time between the mining and agricultural interests.

Since I came here I have made arrangements with Dr. E. H. Andrews to engage in the survey for three months, to receive per month the same compensation as Dr. McClennahan. Dr. Andrews has devoted much time to the minerals of Western North Carolina, is better acquainted with localities than any other individual probably in the State, and is a man of excellent character and worth.

E. Emmons, Jr., has wished for some time to be released from the duties of the survey. I have, however, proposed to him to give his services with barely a nominal compensation. To this he has not only consented, but is anxious to promote certain objects of the work. I wish him to visit the mountainous part of the State with me in order to furnish illustrations of the scenery of the country. Besides this, it is quite necessary that I should retain him for the purpose of executing the drawings of fossils of the tertiary and coal formations. Wherever he travels in the State he is to contribute all the facts relating to geology for the benefit of the survey.

I can see no objection to the arrangements, as the compensation both of Dr. Andrews and my son cannot exceed that which my son alone has been entitled to. It is proper also to state that my son has continued mostly in the State work up to this time. He is now making examinations in the neighborhood of the Hoover and Sawyer mines. He wished to continue for a time in this connection, that he might make up for lost time, by which no one should have reason to complain that the last quarter was incomplete. Dr. Andrews' term will not begin, for which he is to receive compensation, until the middle of August; but in the mean time he is to avail himself of all opportunities for furthering the interests of the work. As to myself it is proper that I should say that I expect to spend much time in the work of the survey after the present pecuniary provisions are exhausted, and for which I have no expectation nor wish to be compensated. The making up of the final report, and collecting the odds and ends of the work, will consume at least six months, after which the work will be regarded as finished. This is not a new view, but one which I took of the subject when I first engaged in the work. I hope now to say that by the time your administration or term of office has expired the survey will be essentially finished, so far as outdoor work is concerned.

It has been my desire to promote the interests of the State in some way or other. And it has appeared to me that a course and plan which would bring to the State capital, was the plan by which its interests and the interests of citizens would be best promoted. It is, however, unnecessary that I should dwell upon this subject. I will only add that I believe that nearly a million of dollars will be added to the working capital in the mining districts, and that this capital will, by no means, be sunk and lost, and I also fully believe that this interest will be placed on a basis from which the citizens will derive a continually increasing profit for years to come.

I am, Sir, your most ob't serv't,

E. EMMONS.

SALISBURY, May 27, 1853.

To His Excellency, DAVID S. REID:

SIR: I am often surprised at the amount of excellent land which I meet with every day. The cotton lands are not confined to Edgecombe, Wayne, or exclusively to the eastern part of the State; the vallies of the Yadkin and Catawba are equally good for cotton—equally fertile and productive in all the great staples of this latitude. From the Jersey Settlement to Salisbury, from Salisbury to Charlotte, and then south to the State line, excellent and productive lands are never out of sight for any length of time. With attention and cultivation, but little beyond the ordinary routine, large tracts may be made to produce continuously 2,000 lbs. of seed cotton to the acre. This is the product of the plantation of Mr. D. B. Peebles, of Providence District, in Mecklenburg county. The expense of cultivation to produce this result is by no means great; in this yield of seed cotton there is 600 lbs. of lint. This result appears still more remarkable when it is known that there are no natural fertilizers; no marks of lime; and also that these lands belong to the oldest cultivated lands of the State. Indeed, one is almost inclined to fall into the common opinion that they will never wear out. This idea, however, is delusive. When we find such results may be obtained with ordinary skill in cultivation, or with ordinary tillage, we are led to surmise what might not be effected by additional attention and skill, combined with a free use of such fertilizers as the successive crops require. These lands are distinguished from others by their dark brown color—they are called mulatto lands. I have spoken of their adaptation to cotton. Now, it would not be right to regard them as adapted only to this crop, for if there are soils which are universal in their adaptation, these dark red soils of Cabarrus, Mecklenburg, and Rowan are of this description. It is true that there are degrees of excellency with those which bear the color I have spoken of. The Providence soils are looser than those of some other tracts, for the latter are stiffer and more liable to bake under the sun than the former. It is not, however, to be concealed that these red soils are impatient under droughts. The crops are liable to fail when the rains fail—in this respect they rank below the sandy soils of Union. The latter are based upon and derived from the slates; while the former are based upon and derived from certain varieties of granite. This granite contains a large amount of iron in the slate of a protoxide, which on exposure to the air becomes a peroxide, which has the red color of the soil. The iron, however, may be in combination with sulphur, which in decomposing passes into a state of peroxidation. This latter condition of the iron appears from the color of the soil, where the roots of the oak are found, and especially, when they are wounded. In this case, the gallic acid exuding from the wounded roots finds in the soil sulphate of iron. Ink will, therefore, be formed by this combination, and the purple black streaks which often appear in the railroad cuts are due to the formation of ink. Ink soils require for correction lime, inasmuch, as any considerable quantity of this astringent salt of iron, is poisonous to vegetation; yet this salt (sulphate of iron) is useful in small quantities in the soil. It seems to act upon vegetables as it acts upon animals, viz: as a tonic. These astringent soils are very common throughout the State. They are in this condition from the great abundance of the proto-sulphuret of iron which is disseminated through the rocks from which the soils are derived.

Wake County is remarkable for astringent soils. In the dry parts of the season the efflorescence of this salt is a common occurrence; and any one may satisfy himself of the fact by tasting the soil; I have already said that the corrective for such soils is lime. This substance, however, is not only a corrective, but it becomes, under these circumstances, an active fertilizer. Gypsum is the product formed by this application. In this connection I may be allowed to say that the most important results of the internal improvement system, will reach the Planter. It must give him the fertilizers—it will also open the door to the market which has, up to the present hour, been closed upon him. The time is not far distant when North Carolina will become one of the great producing States, and the taunt which has often been thrown into her teeth, "alas, for poor North Carolina, she has nothing to sell," will pass away. It is a remarkable fact that the mining lands of this State are usually as productive and valuable for plantations as the lands of other States. She has, therefore, a double source of wealth, extending over large tracts of country. In other countries mining lands are mostly poor and unproductive under the best systems of tillage. I have collected many samples of the soils peculiar to this part of the State, and I believe that the agriculture is equally interesing with that of the eastern part of the Commonwealth.

I remain, most respect'ly, Your Excellency's
Obedient servant,
E. EMMONS.

Miss Greenfield, "the black Swan," who recently gave several concerts in our Atlantic cities, is now in England, where she is lionized by the Duchess of Sutherland and her circle. The Duchess has given a morning concert, at Sutherland House, at which the Swan sang several pieces, and was warmly encored. A large number of the aristocracy was present, as was also Mrs. Stowe, who presented the Swan with a splendid dress of more antique, trimmed with bugles, which she wore.

Valuable Property for Sale.

CONSISTING OF

MILTON FLOUR MILL, SAW MILL, HOUSES AND LOTS.

THE copartnership of Barrett & Newsom expires in July next, by limitation, and on the 5th of July 1853, we will offer for sale at public auction, if not sold privately before that time, the very valuable Flour Mill, Saw Mill, Water Power, 14 Dwellings and Town lots, together with two four horse teams and wagons, with much other property of various descriptions.

The Flour Mill, Saw Mill, Cooper Shop, Blacksmith Shop and Miller's House will be disposed of together, and will be sold on 6 and 12 months' credit, with interest, bond and good security required, negotiable and payable at the Milton Bank.

The houses and lots will be sold separately, upon 6 month's time, with interest, bond and good security, negotiable at the Milton Bank. The balance of the property in all sums under $100, cash, all over, 6 month's time, bond and good security.

As we shall remove our Cotton machinery to other locations, we offer two 25 horse power Steam Engines of a superior quality, and the Cotton Factory Building for sale privately.

These well known Mills are situated in the town of Milton, on the Country Line, with ample water power, for milling purposes, in the midst of a highly cultivated Wheat country, with an extensive and valuable Wheat and Corn custom, immediately on batteau navigation, within 5½

THE STANDARD.

RALEIGH, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1853.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN WAKE.

We present below the proceedings of the meeting held here on Monday last, to appoint delegates to a District Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress. We learn that the meeting was well attended and harmonious.

We learn that E. G. Haywood, Esq., in response to a call, spoke briefly on the importance of party organization in a strain which called out the warmest plaudits.

According to previous notice a portion of the Wake Democracy assembled at the Town Hall, in the City of Raleigh, on Monday the 20th instant, and was organized on motion of Maj. W. J. Clarke, by the appointment of A. K. Clements, Esq., as President, and John M. Fleming, and John Hutchins, Esq'rs., as Vice Presidents, and W. H. Jones and W. A. Allen were requested to act as Secretaries.

The meeting being thus organized, Maj. Clarke stated in a few remarks the object of the meeting to be to appoint delegates to a District Convention to nominate a candidate to represent this District in the next Congress of the United States, and moved that the President appoint a committee to draw up resolutions for the action of the meeting, which motion was carried, and Maj. Clarke, J. T. Marriott, and G. H. Alford, Esqs., were accordingly appointed.

While the committee were out, Q. Busbee, Esq., was called on to address the meeting. Mr. Busbee appeared and after making a few remarks in regard to the objects of the meeting declined to make a speech on the political issues of the day at the then stage of the proceedings. The committee returning, reported through Maj. Clarke the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we agree with our brother Democrats of the county of Johnston that, under the circumstances, a convention of the Democrats of this District is advisable, as the surest means of reconciling conflicting aspirations and opinions, and of securing a Democratic Representative, for this District, in the next Congress.

Resolved, That we re-affirm most heartily our devotion to the platform adopted by the last Baltimore Convention, on which General Pierce was elected; that we cordially approve his administration of public affairs, and that we will sustain him to the utmost of our ability, in his efforts to promote the prosperity and happiness of the people of the whole country.

Resolved, That we hereby pledge ourselves cheerfully to abide by the action of the District Convention to be held in this City on the 30th day of June 1853; and cordially invite our brother Democrats of the other counties of the District to come up and join in said Convention.

Resolved, That fifty delegates be appointed to represent this County in said Convention, and that said delegates be selected by the Chairman and a committee of this meeting.

On motion of Mr. Busbee, Messrs. John Scott, W. R. Poole, J. M. Fleming, J. T. Marriott, and Canady Lowe were appointed the committee to confer with the President and appoint delegates to attend us the Convention.

Mr. E. G. Haywood, being called upon addressed the meeting in a short but eloquent speech on the necessity of organization in the Democratic party of the District in order to insure a Democratic representative in the next Congress. Mr. Haywood's speech was well received and called forth the applause of the meeting.

The following gentlemen were appointed delegates to the Convention:

Maj. W. J. Clarke, John Hutchins, David Royster, Frederic Shepard, M. A. Bledsoe, William R. Poole, William J. Allen, James S. Walton, Samuel M. Utley, Austin Jones, James Adams, Augustin Turner, James Rogers, P. B. Burt, Eaton Collins, John Scott, G. H. Alford, A. K. Clements, Canady Lowe, Hugh E. Lyon, John M Ferrell, W. P. Hayes, Jas. Cozart, George Pennington, Abner Peace, Michael Thompson, W. C. Mangum, J. M. Mangum, Eli Ferrell, George W. Thompson, Peterson Dunn, George W. Norwood, Alpheus Jones, Drury Partin, James A. Hicks, P. A. Dunn, John M. Fleming, J. S. Moring, Kerney Upchurch, Hiram Scarborough, Hilliard W. Jones, Ephraim Perry, Burtis S. Strickland, Sam'l Wilder, Ruffin J. Boulder, Benjamin A. Perry, Wilson W. Whitaker, Kimbrough Jones, Solomon Wiggins, Solomon Todd.

On motion the officers of the meeting were added to the list of delegates.

A. K. CLEMENTS, *President.*

JNO. M. FLEMING, JOHN HUTCHINS, } *Vice Presidents.*

W. H. JONES, W. A. ALLEN, } *Secretaries.*

ROBERT P. DICK, ESQ.

The Fayetteville Carolinian, noticing the appointment of Mr. Dick as District Attorney for North Carolina, says:

"This appointment we regard as eminently judicious and proper. Mr. Dick is a gentleman of fine talents and most estimable character, in the prime of manhood and the full enjoyment of all those faculties which so admirably qualify him for the distinguished position which he has been called on to fill. Living in the midst of a community where Democracy is barely tolerated, he has, with Spartan heroism, stood faithfully and gallantly by the cherished principles of his party. Though a young man, his name is not an obscure one. He was a delegate to the last Democratic National Convention, and was a member of the Electoral College which cast the vote of North Carolina for Pierce and King. Although he has had to contend in the practice of his profession, with some of the ablest lawyers in the State, he has already secured a highly respectable position at the Bar, and his prospects of future eminence are of the most cheering character. We congratulate the administration upon this appointment. We believe that it is entirely satisfactory to the great body of the Democracy of the Old North State."

☞ The Norfolk Argus says there is a daily increasing travel on the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad. Last month the receipts for passengers alone were not far short of $6,000. Wednesday evening, says the Argus, the cars were crowded, there being not less than three hundred passengers from the interior of the good old North State, visiting the seaboard for recreation and in pursuit of business. The Argus also learns that there is a large quantity of produce detained on the road, waiting for the facilities of transportation to the Norfolk market, and is of opinion that the Company will have to furnish an additional number of locomotives and freight cars.

SUPERIOR COURT. An extra Term of the Superior Court for Wake County is being held here this week, Judge Manly presiding. The Outlaw Will case, it is expected, will be taken up to-day, (Tuesday.)

The distressing drought still continues in this vicinity. On Wednesday we had some hopes of rain, but the clouds scattered and we were disappointed. *Fayetteville Caro.*

We had a fine rain here on Friday evening last. It was much needed. The weather is now hot and dry.

☞ We learn that a man by the name of Pencil Hendricks was committed to jail in this City on Monday last, on a charge of passing counterfeit money of the coin of the United States. He is said to be from Randolph County.

☞ We surrender the greater portion of our space to-day to the proceedings of public bodies and to communications, to which we invite the attention of our readers.

LETTER FROM GOV. MOREHEAD.

The last Greensborough Patriot contains an interesting letter from Gov. Morehead, in relation to the surveys for the Railroads east and west. The Governor, as President of the Central Road, acknowledges a communication from his Excellency Gov. Reid, under date 4th instant, requesting the President and Directors of the Central Road to have the surveys made of the contemplated extensions of the North Carolina Railroad—eastward from Goldsborough to Beaufort Harbor, and Westward from Salisbury to the Tennessee line, according to the provisions of the Act of Assembly entitled an act to incorporate "The Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad Company," and the "North Carolina and Western Rail Road Company." Gov. M. in communicating this "pleasing intelligence," gives the assurance that the work will be commenced at as early a day as practicable. He says immediately upon the receipt of Governor Reid's communication he informed the Chief Engineer, Maj. Gwynn, of the fact; and that by the time the Board of Directors meet in July a corps of Engineers will be ready for the field.

Gov. M. refers as follows to the importance of these works the surveys for which are about being made:

"Not a moment is to be lost. The deep, deep regret is, that these extensions are not now in full progress of construction. The giant strides of improvement around us should arouse us to action. The ignominious and pusillanimous complaint that Nature has done so little for us is a libel upon the old dame. Let us see if it be not. If the labors and opinions of that distinguished American citizen, Capt. Bache, of the U. S. Coast Survey, to whom our commerce is already so much indebted, can have any influence on our opinions, we have at the eastern terminus of one of these extensions one of the finest harbors, at Beaufort, for all commercial purposes on the whole Atlantic coast. And if the improvements at the mouth of Cape Fear shall succeed, as it is hoped they will, we shall have another port, surpassed by few, if any, to the South. Then here are the ports; the latter requiring but little aid from man; the former made and presented by the hand of nature in its unrivalled excellence.

But it may be asked, what commerce have we, to require such a port as Beaufort? Let the answer be, the commerce of the world. Look at the location of this port—placed in the end of the North Carolina coast, which projects like a promontory into the Atlantic, midway and within sight of the great line of navigation between the North and the South, and within thirty minutes sail of the ocean. Nature made it for a stopping place for commerce—the half-way house between the North and the South, —where steamers may get their supplies of anthracite, semi-bituminous and bituminous coal, so profusely scattered on either side, and, unless I am much mistaken, under the bed of the great Central Railway, which, by this eastern extension, will connect with that port.

But there are views connected with this port to which public attention has not been sufficiently directed. Lieutenant Maury, of the Washington Observatory,—whose services have done more for navigation and commerce than perhaps any other man living,—addressed a communication to one or both houses of Congress on the subject of the commerce of the Amazon, Mississippi and Gulf of Mexico. For philosophical and statesmanlike views this paper is without a rival, and should be read and studied by every American citizen. It shows very clearly that the trade of the whole Gulf of Mexico, including its magnificent rivers, must pass out at the straits of Florida, and that some Southern port must become the great emporium for that commerce. Has any port the advantages that Beaufort has?

But let us take a western view of these extensions. The Road running from Beaufort along the Central Railroad and to the Tennessee line, and thence along the lines already in progress of construction to Memphis, will not vary one degree from a due West course. Extend the same line westward (and I predict it will surely be done) to the city of San Francisco, which is to become the great emporium of the East Indian trade, and who can doubt that the trade of the Mississippi valley, as well as that of the East Indies and China will crowd our port. This line will vary less than three degrees from a due West course."

MR. EZELL'S SELECT SCHOOL. From an advertisement in another column it will be seen that the exercises of this Seminary for the education of Boys will be resumed, under favorable auspices, on the first Monday in July next. Our opinion of the merits of this Institution have been frequently expressed heretofore. If ever a man was fitted by education, temper, patience, and persevering industry, for the management and instruction of Boys, we hesitate not to say that Mr. Ezell is that man. For the truth of this assertion, we might appeal to the liberal patronage he has uniformly received from an enlightened community. But we have stronger evidence than this every day before our eyes, in the gentlemanly demeanor and exemplary conduct of his students, in their intercourse with each other and with society. They evince, by their moral deportment, that not only their *heads*, but their *hearts*, also, have been educated. Mr. Ezell is a gentleman, we confess, of great professional ambition, and therefore, he employs his whole time, his superior talents, and, we believe, a large share of his means, too, in placing his School in the very front rank of simular Institutions in the Union.

It will be observed that he has made arrangements to enlarge his accommodation for his boarders. He has, likewise, by increasing the amount of salary, permanently secured the services of a gentleman, for the department of Mathemathics and the Solid Sciences, of considerable reputation not only as a Scholar, but as an experienced Teacher. We ourself have been permitted to examine the testimonials of Mr. McMurran, and hesitate not to say that he cannot fail to add much to the already deservedly high reputation of the Institution. We may be pardoned for closing this notice of Mr. McMurran's qualifications with an extract from a letter furnished Mr. Ezell by Dr. Greene, the President of Hamden Sydney College:

"Mr. McMurran is a graduate of this Institution, and a scholar of high standing in every department. He is a gentleman of pure and stainless character among those who know him; of amiable character, persevering, energetic, studious, and is cordially recommended as a Teacher in any branch of education, preparatory to *any* class in *any* College.

(signed) Rev. S. W. GREENE, D. D."

Warrenton News.

☞ Bishop Wainwright, of New York, on Sunday, confirmed five deaf mutes. The service was performed by signs, the Bishop's address being translated to the mutes by the Rev. Mr. Gallaudet, their religious instructor. The scene is described as one of deep interest.

☞ The Rev. Thomas Atkinson has formally accepted the office of Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina, to which he was chosen by the late Convention.

☞ Clement G. Wright, Esq. has been selected to deliver the oration in Fayetteville on the 4th of July, and J. G. Shepherd, Esq., to read the Declaration of Independence.

It is reported that the coronation of the Emperor of the French has been fixed for the 10th September.

The Pacific Railroad Company have completed a road for 40 miles west of St. Louis, and it is under contracts for 135 miles. Its length is to be 600 miles to the boundary of the State of Missouri.

A Yankee Editor says: "The march of civilization is onward—onward—like the slow but intrepid tread of a jackass to a peck of oats."

THE NEW HAMPSHIRE DEMOCRACY.

The following sound and explicit Resolutions were adopted by the late State Convention of the Democracy of New Hampshire:

"1. *Resolved*, That we reiterate our devotion to the great principles and measures for which the democratic party of the Union have been contending for the last quarter of a century, and which have become the settled policy of the country, being recognized and acknowledged as sound and wise by a large portion of our political friends.

2. *Resolved*, That we cordially approve of the principles so eloquently enunciated by the President in his late inaugural address, believing them to be sound, judicious, and democratic; and that if they are faithfully carried out in the practical administration of the government, as we believe they will be, they cannot fail to result in permanent benefit to the country, and republican principles, here and elsewhere.

3. *Resolved*, That, with respect to the great national issues presented by the resolutions adopted by the late National Democratic Convention at Baltimore, upon which the recent presidential election was so gloriously fought and won, the Democracy of New Hampshire remain unchanged; that we reiterate our attachment to the constitution and the Union, and our hostility to all parties and movements having a tendency to weaken the fidelity of any portion of the people to those great safeguards of our rights and liberties; that we recognise the equal rights of all the States under the constitution, and their power to establish each for itself, without hinderance or molestation from the people of the other States, such domestic institutions as they may deem best for the promotion of their interests and happiness, not inconsistent with the provisions of that sacred instrument; and that we will hold no political fellowship with those who may seek to reawaken the slumbering spirit of abolitionism, or to resuscitate the dangerous fires of disunion.

4. *Resolved*, That, in the judgment of this convention, the platform adopted by the late Baltimore Convention cannot be regarded as a compromise of principle, nor as an amnesty to factions that have for years been arrayed against the democratic party and the Union, except upon the condition of unqualified recognition of and adhesion to its principles, and undoubted assurance of future fidelity and devotion to the democratic cause.

5. *Resolved*, That the administration of Franklin Pierce, as manifested by all his official acts, is worthy of the hearty support of the democracy of New Hampshire.

6. *Resolved*, That the democracy of New Hampshire have always favored the reasonable expansion of the area of freedom, and hence they were in favor of the annexation of Texas and the recently acquired provinces of Mexico; and hence, also, they are in favor of the acquisition and annexation of Cuba and the Sandwich islands as soon as they can be obtained without violating the honor of the republic or the rights of other nations.

7. *Resolved*, That to the policy and prowess of the democratic party the Union is indebted for the acquisition of Louisiana, Florida, Texas, California, Oregon, Utah, and New Mexico, thus extending the dominion of the republic from the shores of the Atlantic to those of the Pacific, increasing its area to more than treble its size at the close of the revolution, and advancing it to the first rank of nations in dignity, power, and grandeur.

8. *Resolved*, That the people of New Hampshire are in favor of frugality and economy in the expenditure of the public money; that they are opposed to too much legislation for special and private interests; that they view with alarm the multiplication and encroaching disposition of corporations; and that they earnestly desire those who represent them in the legislative councils of the State to watch carefully in the present crisis over the true interests of the people, taking care that they be not put in peril by the continuance of a course of legislation which tends more to benefit the FEW than the MANY, and which must in the end result in the transfer of the political power of the State from the people to an allied band of soulless and irresponsible corporations."

The Democracy of New Hampshire, it will be seen, indulge no "timid forebodings of evil from expansion."

[Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun.]

WASHINGTON, June 17, 1853.

R. J. Walker for the China Mission—The Sandwich Islands Commission—Declination of Mr. Appleton—General Dix and the French Mission—The War Prospect in Europe—The Santa Anna and Spanish Alliance—The Jackson Statue, &c.

The mission to China has been offered to Mr. R. J. Walker, who is now in this city. It is not known that he will accept it, but the Government will be fortunate to secure his services at this juncture. Mr. Walker's health is said to be quite restored.

Mr. Leake has declined the appointment of commissioner to the Sandwich Islands and it is said that Gen. Starkweather, of Ohio, formerly a member of Congress, will have it. Gen. S. is now here. It may be recollected that he made a marked speech in the House on the Oregon question, which was highly complimented by J. Q. Adams.

Mr. Appleton, of Maine, has declined the place of Secretary of Legation at London.

I am now inclined to thing that Gen. Dix is not to be sent to France. He was appointed to the post, but never commissioned. The "*hards*" were too hard for Mr. Dix, and their influence has finally prevailed.

A strong smell of gunpowder comes to us from Eastern Europe. The result of the movements of Russia are of much deeper importance than has been supposed. If Russia succeeds in this war, it will not be long before she will turn her arms towards France. The Netherlands may soon again become the battle-ground of Europe.

We shall know, in due time, whether the alleged naval preparations by Spain, and the warlike movements of Santa Anna, look towards hostilities with the United States. It is not to be credited that Spain can seek a collision with the United States, and thus ensure the loss of Cuba. But it is possible that, besides making arrangements for the defense of the island from the fillibusters, Spain may have put herself in a position to obtain troops from Mexico, and also to cut off our commerce in the Gulf, upon the occurrence of the next invasion.

The last advices from Mexico show that the mixed or Sloo company had been put in formal possession of the Tehauntepec transit.

The model of Mr. Clarke Mills Equestrian Statue of Jackson is, as I learn from him, to be exhibited in an edifice near the Crystal Palace, there not being sufficient space to spare within the area of the Palace for its exhibition there. ION.

[Correspondence of the North American.]

WASHINGTON, June 15.

It is rumored that John R. Thompson, Senator from New Jersey, will be offered the China mission. Mr. Thompson was for many years a merchant and Consul at an important Chinese port, and is spoken of as better qualified for the mission than any heretofore named. This mission, at present, is regarded by the administration as of the highest commercial and political importance. General Pierce is understood to sympathize with the rebels, and will sternly rebuke any intervention by our naval forces to sustain the Tartar dynasty.

An order issued by the Postmaster General, designed to warn the Postmasters against irresponsible agents who propose to obtain balances due them, by charging exorbitant fees, had created much excitement among that class of persons.

The measures agitated in England to force Spain to emancipate the slaves in Cuba and introduce coolies, from the leading topics in conversation in high quarters; and the opinion is expressed, that if consumated, we shall witness the organization of a fillibustering expedition in the South and West against Cuba on a scale too vast for Government control.

The Attempted Insurrection at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, June 16. Several affidavits were made last night against James Dyson, an Englishman, in regard to the recent insurrectionary attempt on the part of the slaves. Dyson, who for a year past, has been teaching negro children to read and write, was accused, about two years ago, of harboring negro criminals, and imprisoned for several months. He then displayed great acuteness and legal knowledge in defending himself. The present affidavits are strong against him as being the sole planner and instigator of the recent attempt. He has been committed to jail await an examination on Wednesday, the 22d instant. If the offence is proved, the penality will be very heavy—probably death. The excitement has rapidly subsided.

For the Standard.

MESSRS. LEWIS AND VENABLE.

MR. EDITOR: I write to give you an account of the discussion which took place yesterday at Louisburg between the two candidates, and to let you and your readers know what the people of Franklin think of the matter.

There has seldom been a political discussion in this County which excited so much interest as was displayed on this occasion. It is true Mr. Venable was comparatively a stranger, but then his name was familiar and the people were anxious to hear him. On the other hand it was Mr. Lewis' native County—the County in which he has always lived, and which is very much attached to him and he was for the first time before them as a candidate. These things conspired to attach great interest to the occasion, and drew together a large and eager assemblage. The speeches of both were able and eleqnent, and received from the large audience the most profound and respectful attention.

The most important points upon which they differed were the Cuba question, the Compromise measures, the sub-Treasury, and Bennett's Land Bill, but dwelt mostly upon the last. Mr. Lewis contended that in voting for this bill Mr. Venable had violated one of the cardinal principles of the Democratic party—that the Democrats have always held that the lands were the joint property of all the States, and should be sold and the proceeds applied to defray the expenses of the general government—that this doctrine was plainly decided by the Baltimore Convention which nominated Pierce, of which Mr. Venable was a member—that it was likewise so declared by the Convention which nominated Reid for Governor, and that in voting for this bill of Bennett's he had plainly gone in direct opposition to the whole Democratic party, and had thereby forfeited their patronage—that he had acted with great inconsistency in voting for the resolution in the Baltimore Convention and in ten days afterwards voting for Bennett's land bill in flat contradiction of the resolution. He complained likewise that Mr. Venable had not only voted for distribution contrary to tenets of his party, but for a most unjust and unequal distribution in that this bill gave to the new States nearly all the public domain, and leaving the old States but a mere crumb, and in the name of common sense if Congress has a right to raise money to buy lands for the purpose of giving these lands away, it certainly can give the money away, and to what extent of fraud and oppression might it not be carried? Again, he took another objection to this bill, viz: that it restricted the States in the use of the money by requiring them to apply it to particular purposes, thereby reviving the Federal doctrine that the States exercise authority only by permission of the general government. Strange, he thought, that a States' rights man who had been under the instruction of Nathaniel Macon and John C. Calhoun, should consent that the general government might dictate to a sovereign State as to the disposition she should make of her own property. Is our State Legislature to give up its authority to Congress? If this be State rights, let us have no more State rights.

Mr. Venable labored hard to defend this bill, as he did to justify his course in all other respects, but it was all in vain—Lewis exposed it at every point. Indeed it is impossible even for Mr. Venable, with all his ability and sophistry, to defend a measure so fraught with inequality. It was one of the sharpest weapons that the Democrats had to fight Kerr with last sumner—it helped greatly to drag Scott to the ground, and take care it does not send Mr. Venable home to bless his family with his interesting society. I have never in my life seen but one plausible reason given for distribution even if it were equal, and that is, that by depriving us of the revenue from the lands it creates a necessity for a high tariff—this I should suppose would not sound very sweet to a Democrats' ear. But then when they come to plunder the old States of all their interest in the public lands to build Railroads for the new States, justice cries for vengeance, and then to see a *Democrat* from the *Old North State* joining in with the Whigs to accomplish this sinful purpose!

Time and space will not allow me, Mr. Editor, to dwell upon the other points of difference between them—they were discussed in an equally as spirited a manner. The victory on the part of Mr. Lewis was complete here.

Lewis would have got a large majority before, but since this discussion I feel confident in saying he will carry the County almost unanimously. He acquitted himself far beyond the expectations of his warmest friends. It was remarked by a most intelligent Democrat of Warren County, who was present, that he would not have taken the beating that Venable got yesterday for the election, and nearly all I have heard speak of it declare it to be a most decisive victory. I have also been in other Counties of the District, and have taken some pains in informing myself as to the comparative strength of the two men, and I am decidedly of the opinion that Lewis is the strongest man in the District. He shows himself the equal of Venable in every respect, (age notwithstanding,) and as a debater I do regard him as superior. He is a young man of energy, talent, and promise, and I hope to see him promoted. He is a Democrat of the strongest kind, standing by the old, and tried, and honored doctrines of the party; may he carry them out. FRANKLIN.

June 15th, 1853.

For the Standard.

WAKE FOREST COLLEGE, N. C.

The exercises of the annual commencement opened on Monday evening, June 6th, with declamation by members of the Freshman Class. The declaimers selected from this Class were H. Harris, Wake; O. M. Matthews, Sampson; E. F. Beachum, Camden; O. D. Coppedge, Franklin; A. F. Purify, Wake; B. F. Cole, Chatham; and M. Baldwin, Randolph.

Tuesday evening, June 7th, declamation by the Sophomore Class. The declaimers selected from this Class were Carey J. Hall, Lancaster, Va.; Robert H. Burn, Chesterfield, S. C.; Lewis H. Shuck, Lancaster, Va.; A. J. Emerson, Chatham, N. C.; Eli Manning, Marlboro', S. C.; R. Pitchford, Warren, N. C.; and B. F. Marable, Halifax, Va. These exercises were highly creditable to the declaimers themselves and also to the Faculty.

Wednesday at 11, A. M., the annual address before the two Literary Societies was delivered by Hon. A. W. Venable. This address abounded in useful instruction and advice. It will no doubt be printed, and, therefore, further remarks are unnecessary.

At night a mass meeting on education was held in the College Chapel. Hon. A. W. Venable was called to the Chair, who stated the objects of the meeting and made some general remarks on the subject of education. Speeches were made by Augustus M. Lewis, Esq., of Louisburg, Rev. T. W. Tobey, Rev. J. J. James, and Rev. W. M. Wingate, the energetic agent for the endowment of the College. The meeting adjourned at a late hour.

On Thursday, Commencement day, a very large crowd assembled at an early hour. The order of exercises were as follows:

Prayer by Rev. Dr. Wait, of Oxford.

1. Oration—Perpetuity of the American Union. William Brinkley, jr., Halifax.

2. (Second distinct,) Henry Clay. Wm. C. Finch, Franklin.

3. North Carolina—her claims on her sons. R. A. McAden, Caswell.

4. (Second distinction,) Acquisition of Political Knowledge. Andrew J. Rogers, Granville.

5. (Second distinction,) A National University. Thomas Slade, Rockingham.

6. Conferring Degrees.

7. (First distinction,) The importance of virtuous character in the Citizen, with the Valedictory Address N. D. Fennell, New Hanover.

Closing prayer by Rev. Mr. McDaniel, of Fayetteville.

The original Orations by the young men were most of them chaste and beautiful compositions and were well delivered.

President White read a Report containing an account of the origin, the progress, the present condition and future prospects of the College. This report was well written, and was doubtless gratifying to all the friends of the College who enjoyed the pleasure of hearing it.

At night the Commencement party came off. There was quite an array of beauty and grace present.

AUDITOR.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the N. C. Railroad will be held in Salisbury, on the 14th day of July. Stockholders in this vicinity who cannot attend ought to make out their proxies for those who will be there. It is very important that all the Guilford stock be represented. *Grens. Patriot.*

Shooting a Rival by Whom [illegible] Paramour.

WASHINGTON, June 15. An affair which naturally, creates much excitement, and remark occurred here this afternoon, showing [illegible] unfaithfulness on the part of a wife, and leading to a fatal result it is supposed. About 5 o'clock, A. M. J. Morrison, formally express agent, upon entering his chamber discovered Erasmus Hester, a clerk in the store of Barnes & Mitchell, concealed with Mrs. Morrison, his wife. He forthwith drew a revolver and shot them both. Hester is morially wounded. It is thought Mrs. M. will recover. Morrison was arrested and committed. M.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

June 15, 6 P. M. There are various conflicting reports of this affair, but the most reliable account is that Morrison, who had been married about six months, suspected his wife, a very young and handsome woman, of improper familiarity. He told her that he should leave town this afternoon, whereupon she notified Hester of his supposed absence, who subsequently called on her at her lodgings in Pennsylvania avenue.

Morrison, in the meanwhile, having watched their movements, sprang upon them suddenly, and finding the pair together in her chamber, both in *dishabille*, he instantly drew a revolver and fired three or four shots, one of which took effect upon Hester, the ball passing through his body and endangering life. Another ball passed through the arm and side of his wife, wounding her seriously but not dangerously. Morrison immediately gave himself up to the authorities, and was committed. Hester being informed by the physicians that he might not survive but a few minutes, made a statement to Capt. Goddard to the effect that he had no criminal intention, but failed to account for the predicament in which he was caught.

DIED.

On the 20th ult., at his residence, in this county, Willie L. Hinton, very suddenly of apoplexy. He was as well as ever in the morning, and in the afternoon rode to his plantation on Sipsey river, where he proceeded to aid one of his negroes in taking some corn out of a crib. The negro states that on stooping over to pick up some ears of corn, he fell down in the crib and died immediately it is supposed. The negro left him to go for his brother, Dr. Joseph H. Hinton, but when they returned, in about an hour, the vital spark had fled.

The deceased was in his 45th year. He came from Johnston county, in North Carolina, in 1836, to this county, where he has resided ever since. He was an industrious farmer, a good citizen, an affectionate husband and father, and a kind master, and he has left a wife and eight children to mourn this sudden and unexpected bereavement. Three brothers of the deceased and one sister have died in the same manner. *Carrollton (Ala.) Republican.*

In Columbus county, N. C., on the 24th May, Elizabeth Vause, wife of Ephraim Vause, aged about 40 years. Also, on the 27th May, John Vause, aged 8 years and 20 days. Ephraim Vause, the 27th May, aged 15 years and 25 days. Also, Elizabeth Jane Vause, on the 28th May, aged 5 years and 7 months. Also, William B. Vause, on the 30th May, aged 19 years, 1 month and 17 days. Also, Jas. C. Vause, on the 4th June, aged 17 years, 3 months and 4 days, all sons and daughters of Ephraim Vause and Elizabeth Vause, all of typhoid fever. Thus, in two short weeks, a kind husband and father was bereaved of an affectionate wife and 5 children and left to mourn his irreparable loss.

In Lowell, Johnston County, May 19th, at the residence of her father, Mr. Thomas F. Christman, Miss Sarah A. Celestia Christman, aged 19 years. Death has again singled one from our midst—we are now called upon to announce the death of another by that fatal disease, Consumption. Although the subject of this notice had been in feeble health for the past year, still we were not aware that she should so soon pass from among us. Her last illness, which lasted for several weeks, although at times suffering intense pain and agony, she bore with an unusual degree of patience and Christian resignation; her death was happy, tranquil, and serene. That voice, which has so often charmed a fond and affectionate father and mother, a kind brother, and doating and confiding sister, is now hushed forever. In the performance of her duties, we always found her cheerful and happy, and was ready and prompt in their discharge. She has left a large circle of relatives and young friends to mourn her early demise, and may they be comforted with the consolation that she has passed from her earthly home to a brighter one in Heaven. [COM.

☞ City papers and Goldsborough Telegraph please copy.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE
ON RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD.

THE Raleigh & Gaston Road is now completed to Weldon, and in fine order, and the following permanent Schedule for the Passenger Trains has been put into operation:

Leave Raleigh at - - - - 8 A. M.
Arrive at Weldon at - - - 1 P. M.

in time to connect with the day Trains for Petersburg, Portsmouth and Wilmington.

Returning, leave Weldon, after the arrival of the Express Train from Wilmington, at - - 3½ P. M.
Arrive at Raleigh at - - - - 8½ P. M.

Passengers will thus be enabled to take breakfast in Raleigh and supper in Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk, Portsmouth or Wilmington,—or breakfast at those points and supper in Raleigh.

Persons wishing to come from any point on, or East of, the Wilmington Road, and from the Albemarle country will find this the most comfortable and expeditious route.

Office R. & G. R. R Company, June 18, 1853. 68—2m.

☞ Register and Post copy; also the Petersburg Intelligencer, Norfolk Argus, Warrenton News, Weldon Patriot, Goldsborough Republican, Wilmington Journal, Wilmington Commercial, Democratic Pioneer, and Edenton Whig, two months, and forward accounts to the President of the Company.

Democratic Meeting.

A MEETING of the Democrats of Orange will be held at the Court-House in Hillsborough, on Saturday, the 25th of June, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to attend a Convention of this Congressional District, which is to be held in Raleigh on the 30th inst.

June 13th, 1853. 61—2t.

County Court Clerkship.

WE are requested to announce THOMAS G. WHITAKER, Esq., as a candidate for Clerk of the County Court of Wake at the ensuing election.

March 2d, 1853. 31—te.

WE are requested to announce CALVIN J. ROGERS, Esq., as a candidate for Clerk of Wake County Court at the ensuing election.

April 7th, 1853. 41—te.

WE are requested to announce OSBORNE BOWERS as a candidate for Clerk of the County Court, at the ensuing August Election. If elected, he will devote himself, with untiring assiduity, to the discharge of the duties of the office.

March 18, 1853. 50—te.

WE are requested to announce JEFF. UTLEY a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk of the County of Wake, at the ensuing August election.

April 8, 1853. 41—te.

WE are requested to announce JOHN L. TERRELL as a candidate for the Clerkship of the County Court of Wake.

April 28, 1853. 47—te.

To Miners.

A LOT of Safetyfuse and Blasting Powder, just received and for sale by W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.

June 18, 1553.

THOSE DIXON WATCHES imported expressly for Palmer and Ramsay, have come to hand, together with a large stock of gold and silver Hunting Case Watches. P. & R.

NEW JEWELRY of all kinds, receiving every week, something fresh and new styles. PALMER & RAMSAY.

A LARGE lot of SILVER WARE, just received, also Plated Ware, and Waiting Canes, &c. PALMER & RAMSAY.

June 19, 1853.

[illegible] ACT
Classical and [illegible]ematical School,
[illegible] WARRENTON, N. C.

[illegible] A. M. Principal,
[illegible] A. M. Assistant.

[illegible] will commence on Monday the 4th [illegible].

Additional arrangements have been made which will enable the Principal to accommodate with good board and spacious rooms the constantly increasing number of applicants for admission into the School. Boys from a distance are required to Board in the family of the Principal, where the strictest supervision is exercised over their morals, and where they receive every kindness and attention conducive to their comfort. The Principal relies with proud confidence upon the merits of his School alone for success; and refers the public to his own well-known skill, and experience for more than 20 years, in the business of teaching, to the undoubted ability and fidelity of his accomplished colleague, to the good behavior, moral deportment, and intellectual improvement of the students, and to the already extensive and constantly extending patronage bestowed upon him, as the best and most reliable recommendations of the School which it is in his power to exhibit. His patrons are the best judges of the character of the Seminary and to them he confidently refers an enlightened public. The School is independent of any Board of Trustees, and under the exclusive management of the Principal.

MR. MCMURRAN, the able coadjutor of the Principal, graduated with high distinction at Hampden Sydney College and brings with him testimonials from the President and Faculty of that Institution, evincing his great moral worth and high order of scholarship especially in Mathematics and the solid sciences. He has, likewise, a letter of recommendation signed by every member of the Board of Trustees of Greene Academy in Alabama of which he was Principal until his services were secured for this School, expressing their exalted sense of his qualifications as a Teacher and their deep regret at losing his valuable services. Besides the testimonials above alluded to he is strongly recommended as a gentleman and Teacher by the Rev. Dr. Hall of Huntsville Ala., by the Rev. J. T. Hargrove, Middleburg, Va., by the Rev. Moses D. Hoge, Richmond, Va, by A. D. Dickinson and Sam'l. C. Anderson esq'rs. Prince Edward Ct. House, Va., by the Rev. W. S. P. Graham, President of Delaware College, and by the Rev. Elisha Nott, D. D, L. L. D., President, and Messrs. Jackson, Lewis and Reed, Professors of Union College, N. Y.

Like the Principal, McMurran is a southern man by birth and education.

TERMS—Per Session of five Months.

Board,	$50 00
Tuition in the English branches,	12 50
" " Ancient Languages and Mathematics,	17 50
Tuition in the Modern Languages, (each)	10 00
Fuel at School Room,	50

Warrenton, June 16th, 1853. 977—w4w.

CLASSICAL AND MATHEMATICAL SCHOOL

BY L. WADDELL, A. M.

THE second Session of the subscriber's School, in Raleigh, will commence on the 5th of July next. The course of instruction will embrace all the branches of a complete Classical and Mathematical education.

Some half dozen boarders may be accomodated if preferred, in the Principal's family, at $12 per month.

TERMS:

Fees of Latin, Greek, and Mathematics,	$25,00
French extra,	10,00

One half the above expenses will be expected invariably in advance.

REFERENCES:

James M. Towles, Esq. Raleigh,
Wilson Whitaker, Esq. Wake County,
Faculty of Washington College, Lexington, Va.
Trustees of Staunton Academy, Staunton, Va.
Rev. Drury Lacy, D. D. Raleigh,
Rev. W. H. McGuffey, D. D., University of Virginia,
Rev. R. H. Phillips, Virginia Female Inst. Staunton,
Rev. Moses D. Hoge, Richmond, Va.
Hon. S. S. Baxter, Richmond, Va.
Rev. B. M. Smith, Staunton, Va.
Judge J. W. Brockenbrough, U S Court, Lexington,
Judge L. P. Thompson, Staunton,
Hon. A. H. H. Stuart, late Secretary of the Interior, Staunton,
Dr. F. T. Striblin, Western Lun. Asylum, Staunton,
Rev. B. H. Rice, D. D. Prince Edward co. Va.
Rev. J. Smyth, Springfield, N. C.

L. WADDELL.

Raleigh, June 4, 1853. 24—1y.

Pleasant Grove Female Institute,
FRANKLIN COUNTY, N. C.

AS the Male School at Pleasant Grove is now finally discontinued, the subscriber will, on the 2nd Monday in July, open a FEMALE SCHOOL of the first order, under the charge of Miss H. N. Adams, well qualified to instruct in all the branches taught in our best Schools, having observed her course for nearly two years as a Teacher in my family; experience, however, is the best evidence in school teaching, and those wishing to avail themselves of the benefit of this institution will please inform the subscriber immediately, as the number of pupils will at no time exceed sixteen.

The Musical Department will be superintended by Teachers of the first grade, and every attention will be given to the deportment of the Young Lady, both in and out of School.

This situation is known to be one of the most pleasant and healthy in the State—eight miles South of the Shocco Springs.

TERMS.

The Higher English branches and French,	$12,50
Lower do. " " "	10,00
Music on Piano, " " "	12,50
Ditto on Guitar, " "	10,00
Vocal Music with Aeolian, "	12,50
Drawing, " " "	5,00
Painting in water colors " "	5,00
Board per month,	7,50

WM. J. BRANCH.

Louisburg, June 11th, 1853. 776—3tw.

MIDWAY MALE ACADEMY,
FRANKLIN COUNTY, N. C,

THE next session of this School will open on the 2nd Monday in July ensuing, and continue five months. Being situated in a section of country remarkable for health, intelligence and refinement, it offers peculiar inducements as

SOUTH LOWELL ACADEMY.
ORANGE COUNTY, N. C.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform his former patrons, and his friends, and the public at large, that he will, at the commencement of the next session, resume his station at the head of South Lowell Academy.

This Institution is situated in a section of the State where a healthful climate, pure water, pleasant scenery, and a moral community furnish as many incitements to industry as are often to be found. Young men from any part of the State, or adjoining States, need fear no injurious effects from the climate, at South Lowell, while to those in the eastern portion of the State it offers a safe and pleasant retreat from the diseases incident to that region.

While no pains will be spared to improve the mind, it will not be forgotten that knowledge is valuable only when united with integrity of heart, and consequently every reasonable effort will be made to lead the minds of those intrusted to our care, to "remember their Creator in the days of their youth." There will be preaching at the Academy three or four times a month, and other religious exercises once or twice a week.

No Student will be permitted to remain who exerts an immoral influence, and none to return who does not attend diligently to his duties.

One competent assistant will be present at the commencement of the session, and another will immediately be obtained, if the interests of the Students demand.

Particular attention will be given to preparing young men for teachers.

Students can come by public conveyance to Hillsborough, 12 miles west, or to Oxford, 25 east of South Lowell, and at either place private conveyances can readily be obtained.

Board will be furnished in the best families at $6 per month. Tuition—For beginners $10—For common and higher English $12,50—For Languages $15. To the sons of regular Ministers tuition will be furnished at one half the above rates.

Books can be obtained at South Lowell at the publisher's retail prices, adding only the cost of transportation.

The next session will commence on Wednesday, July 27, and the Class will be organized the same day.

JAMES A. DEAN.

June 13, 1853. 60—3t.

☞ Richmond C. Advocate; Message; Spirit of the Age; Newbernian; Wilmington Commercial; Fayetteville Observer, and Hillsboro' Recorder will please copy three times and send their bills to J. A. D.

PIEDMONT SPRINGS,

SITUATED in the County of Stokes, on the North side of the Sauratown Mountain, two and a quarter miles West of the County-seat, Danbury, fifteen miles East of the Pilot Mountain, fifteen miles North-west of Germanton, and eight miles West of Martin's Lime Kiln, in the immediate vicinity of the Hanging Rock, Shevelnits Cascade and Moor's Nob, the highest peak of Sauratown, being three hundred feet higher than the Pilot.

Encouraged by the liberal feelings of a large number of persons the last two seasons, the subscribers have recently made considerable improvement for the accommodation of the public, and are now prepared to receive visitors.

The Spring is a strong and bold Chalybeate. As to the medicinal properties of the water we would refer to the many invalids who have visited the place and been restored to health and strength.

Terms of board for a single person,

Per meal,	25 cents,
" day,	75 "
" week,	$4 50 "

Children and servants half price—horses fed at 50 cents per day. Rent of cabins (without board) $3 per week.

T. & J. F. REDDICK.

June 6th, 1853. 60—6w.

TO THE TRAVELLING COMMUNITY.

THE Stage line formerly run from Raleigh via Nashville to Rocky Mount, by SPRINGS & MCLEAN is now running directly to Wilson Depot, (a distance of only 50 miles,) in connection with the Mail line on the Plank Road and Steamboat via Greenville to Washington, N. C. Also, in connection with the Train of cars running North past Wilson at 7 P. M. Also, (when persons going South wish,) by leaving Raleigh at 5 A. M., connect with the 4 P. M. Train of cars running South, reaching Wilmington at 8 or 9 P. M. same days.

Leave Raleigh Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Leave Wilson Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

JOHN M. McLEAN, Proprietor.

Raleigh, June 2d, 1853. 57—3t.

☞ Register, Wilmington Journal (weekly) Washington Whig and Plymouth News will please copy 3 times and send accounts to this office.

$20 REWARD!

RUNAWAY from Elijah Malone, on the 14th of May last, near Gordonton, Person County, a negro boy by the name of WILLIAM. Said negro is about 20 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, of a pale yellow color, rather slender built, and round shoulders; he has a large mouth, front teeth broad and white; he has a wild look when spoken to, and is slow to answer; he has a very rough and bumpy face, and there may be some scars on the fingers of one of his hands, occasioned by a burn; he has remarkably kinky hair for a mulatto, and walks rather bow-legged. When he was last heard from he had on a black coat, either Broadcloth or Alpacca, dark pantaloons and a black round-crowned hat. His father was a free man, by the name of Bush, and he may attempt to pass under that name. I have bought the said boy from Elijah Malone, and I will give the reward of twenty dollars to any person who will deliver said boy to me, two miles East of Prospect Hill, in Orange County, or confine him in any Jail, so that I can get him.

HENRY MALONE.

June 9th, 1853. 976—5tw.

Female School.

MISS H. W. Merrill and Mrs Blood will open a school, at the rooms of the Masonic Lodge, on the 6th of July next, for the instruction of Young Ladies and Misses in the various branches pertaining to a thorough and accomplished education.

Terms of Tuition for the English branches,	$10
French Language,	5
Latin,	5
Pencil and fine Crayon drawing,	15
Oil Painting,	20
Music on the Piano and Guitar,	20

Instruction in vocal music gratis.

Lessons in embroidery and needle-work given, if desired.

Raleigh, June 10, 1853. 60—2m.

AFTER THE TRADE.

THE Subscribers having fully made up their minds to enter into the Hardware Trade would take this occasion to say that they are constantly receiving and intend keeping a more general assortment than has ever been kept in this town, and at prices lower than the lowest—neither of us are "experienced Carpenters," but experienced dealers, and will sell Carpenters Tools and Hardware generally, lower than any other "Yankee man" and no mistake—all we ask from our friends at home and abroad is a trial, and it we do not prove what we say—QUIT US!

R. Smith's corner, cheap side—opposite E. L. Harding's.

EVANS & COOKE.

Raleigh, June 13, 1853. 60—

Castalia High School.

MR. AND MRS. D. S. RICHARDSON, Principals.

THE Summer Term in the male and female departments will commence on Tuesday morning, the 5th of July. Circulars furnished on Application to the Principal.

Castalia, Nash Co., N. C. June 10, 1853. 60—4t.

THE next session of the subscriber's School will commence the 7th of July next.

The class which goes to College leaves room for a few boys.

ALEX. WILSON.

Melville, Alamance Co., June 5, 1853. 60—3w.

GAUZE MERINO SHIRTS.

IF YOU wish to keep cool, call and buy some Gauze Merino Under Shirts.

E. L. HARDING.

Patent Yoke Seam Shirts.

50 DOZ. just received. Made up in the latest style with or without Collars.

E. L. HARDING.

Standing Three-ply Collars. 75 doz. just received at HARDING'S.

June 13, 1853. 60—

HERRINGS. 50 bbls. No. 1 trim'd—W. T. Sutton's curing.

50 bbls. No. 1 family roe, W. T. Sutton's curing.

20 half bbls. No. 1 roe do do

For sale by

A. & H. HARRIS.

Norfolk, June 9th, 1853. 59—1m

MAKE MONEY!!

WHEREAS, for a period of twenty years we have diligently studied how we might best ameliorate the pecuniary condition of the Human Family, and deserve the applaudits of mankind. We are now happy almost beyond the power of expression, to impart the joyous intelligence that the hour has come when we can proclaim to the Nations of the earth the completion of our extended labors in the announcement that we have found out at last the process by which riches may be easily acquired, and a most extraordinary fact is, that we give to the world, *gratis*, the offspring of these wearisome researches, which consumed nearly a quarter of a century in gestation, asking ourselves for revealing this "open sesame" nothing but the delightful assurance that mankind will be at last convinced of the practicability of garnering a golden harvest through the medium of

PYFER & CO.,

The Truly Fortunate and Far-Famed Lottery BROKERS,

No. 1, Light St., Baltimore, Md.

Let not a few frowns of Fortune cast you down:
She were not Fortune if she did not frown
Those who in patience bear her scorns awhile
Are those on whom, at last, she most will smile.

MOST GLORIOUS SUCCESS!

PRFER & CO. sold and paid last month a Mountain of Prizes!

EVERY DRAWING TELLS A CHEERING TALE!

☞ The most successful method to draw a Prize is to *Purchase a Package!* The experience of every day strengthens this declaration.

"No such word as Fail," at Pyfer & Co's.

☞ Forward your Orders without delay!

Splendid Schemes for June, 1853.

☞ The Certificate Prices of packages of quarter tickets only, are given below.

Date. June.	Capital Prizes.		No. of Ballots.	Price of Tickets.	Price of Packages
1	$30,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	$10	$35 00
2	20,000	75 Nos	15 drawn	5	15 00
3	21,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	5	18 00
4	40,000	75 Nos	12 drawn	12	44 00
6	25,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	8	20 00
7	20,000	75 Nos	12 drawn	5	18 00
8	35,000	75 Nos	14 drawn	10	35 00
9	18,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	5	18 00
10	13,500	78 Nos	12 drawn	4	16 00
11	55,498	75 Nos	11 drawn	15	58 00
13	26,000	78 Nos	15 drawn	8	30 00
14	20,000	75 Nos	12 drawn	5	18 00
15	31,000	78 Nos	14 drawn	10	35 00
16	21,500	75 Nos	12 drawn	5	18 00
17	24,000	75 Nos	12 drawn	5	18 00
18	40,000	78 Nos	12 drawn	10	40 00
20	28,500	75 Nos	13 drawn	8	30 00
21	20,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	5	18 00
22	30,000	75 Nos	12 drawn	10	36 00
23	24,000	78 Nos	13 drawn	5	18 00
24	15,000	75 Nos	14 drawn	4	13 00
25	70,000	78 Nos	12 drawn	30	88 00
27	30,000	75 Nos	13 drawn	8	30 00
28	16,312	78 Nos	12 drawn	5	20 00
29	33,461	75 Nos	13 drawn	10	35 00
30	20,000	78 Nos	15 drawn	5	16 00

☞ Drawings forwarded to Correspondents by the first mails after the lotteries are drawn.

☞ Correspondents will please order a few days before the lotteries are drawn.

There is a large per centage in favor of those purchasers who order by the Package, and the chances of drawing four of the largest Prizes in the Scheme, are thereby secured. We advise the purchase of Packages of Tickets in every instance.

☞ Bank Drafts or Certificates of Deposits payable in Gold at sight, will be promptly remitted to those Correspondents who draw prizes at PYFER & CO'S.

☞ Remember—A PACKAGE of Tickets, can draw FOUR of the most splendid prizes in a scheme.

☞ In order to secure a Fortune, and the cash immediately after the result is known, the readers of the paper have only to remit cash Drafts or prize tickets, to the Old Established, far famed and truly fortunate Exchange and Lottery Brokers,

PYFER & CO.,

No 1. Light Street, Baltimore, Md.

May 30, 1853. 56—

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONARY.

PUTTICK & MITCHELL would respectfully inform the public that their establishment is now in the "full tide of successful experiment," and they are prepared to execute all orders in their line: in Cake and Bread-baking, Candy making, &c. Nuts, Fruits, Groceries, &c., always kept on hand.

CIGARS. Our stock of Cigars is very large, some of them of the choicest brands, such as Ele Gratitude, Cobden Regalias, Silvas, Excelsior, El Ciervo, Steamboat Principes, and a variety too numerous to mention.

☞ Parties in the City or country furnished with every description of Confectionaries, on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms. BRIDE'S CAKE carefully packed and sent to any part of the State. Sugar and Molasses Cakes, also Candy, suitable for country Stores, packed in barrels or smaller packages, cheaper than they can be bought at any other House in North Carolina or Virginia. Low profits and quick sales, is our motto.

Raleigh, May 28th, 1853. 56—tf.

CHURCH BOOKS!

A TREATISE on the Laws of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U. S., by Murray Hoffman.

A Presbyterian Clergyman looking for the Church, by One of Three Hundred.

The History of the Church of England, by J. B. S. Canvithen, B. D., late of St. Mary Hall, Oxford; Bampton Lecturer for 1809, and Vicar of Sandhurst, Berks.

A Church Dictionary, by Walter Farquehar Hook, D. D., Vicar of Leedes.

Daily Steps towards Heaven or practical thoughts on Gospel History, and especially on the Life and Teachings of our Lord Jesus Christ, for every day in the year according to the Christian seasons.

*** It is a vade Mecum for the pious Churchman, and would be a profitable companion for every Christian.

Also a great variety of other Church Books, on hand and for sale by

W. L. POMEROY.

May 26th, 1853. 56—

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to an order of our Court of Equity for Wake County, Spring Term, 1853, in the petition of Eliz. Rhodes, by her guardian, *ex parte*,

I will expose at public sale on the premises on the 11th of June next, the lands mentioned in the pleadings. Said lands situate in the County of Wake, bounded on the North by the Lands of Thos. J. Lemay, on the East by the lands of Mr. Daniel and Barnabus Johnson, on the South by the lands of Kimbrough Weathers and Henry Utley, and on the West by the lands of Eldridge Smith and W. Clayton, containing about 235 acres.

Terms of sale: Bonds well secured payable at six and twelve months, with interest from the date, and seventy-five dollars of purchase money to be paid cash at time of sale.

ED. GRAHAM HAYWOOD,
C. & M. in Equity.

Raleigh, May 28th, 1853. 56—td.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY notify all persons from trading for a Land Warrant, made to Sergant William Eaton of one hundred and sixty acres, which warrant had the assignment and was lost, miscarried or robbed from the mail about the 23 of March last, without my knowledge or consent; this is therefore to put all persons on their guard, as I intend applying for duplicate of the same.

WILSON FULTIN.

Danbury, Stokes County, N. C. }
May 16th, 1853. } 56—6w.

ROBERTS'S
COPPER, TIN AND STOVE DEPOT,
ROANOKE SQUARE,
NORFOLK, VA.

IN STORE, a large and varied assortment of all kinds of COPPER and TIN Wares, at wholesale and retail, ower than at any other establishment in Virginia. Copper Work for Steamers, Mills, Distilleries, &c., &c., executed in the best manner, with due regard for steam pressure.

STOVES AND HOT-AIR FURNACES,

Of all kinds, for all purpores, Metallic Roofing, Gutters and Pipes for Buildings, Block Tin, Tin Plate, Sheet Copper, Bar and Sheet Lead, Sheet Iron, &c., Ethereal Oil, and Lamps for using it, Shower Baths and Bathing Apparatus, of all the newest and most approved patterns.

WM. D. ROBERTS, Jr.,
Roanoke Square, Norfolk, Va.

April 19, 1853. 44—w6m.

NOVELTY WORKS,

WEST ST., RALEIGH, NORTH-CAROLINA,

SILAS BURNS, PROPRIETOR,

BUILDER OF

Steam Engines & General Machinist.

THE above establishment has been in successful operation about one year, and has turned out some of the best STEAM ENGINES and SAW MILLS that have ever operated in this or any other State.

Orders are solicited for Steam Engines and Saw Mills, Mill Gearing and Machinery of every discription to be completed during the Summer and Fall. The improved condition of the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road will enable me to fill with dispatch and punctuality all orders after the 1st of July.

The following certificate will show the character of the work executed at the above Works:

AUBRY, Cumberland, May 15, 1852.

Mr. SILAS BURNS,

Dear Sir: Our Engine and Mills, made at your shops, have been at work nearly two months, and fully meet our expectations. The ENGINE, as to FINISH and STRENGTH, PERFORMANCE and DURABILITY, is inferior to none in the State of the same class made here or elsewhere. The MILLS run with a smoothness and speed truly astonishing. In ordinary sawing we cut in a common sized log, 1 foot in 3½ seconds or 16 feet per minute. We have run, however, through an 18 feet log in 32 seconds or at the rate of 33 feet per minute, by running to the top speed we fully believe we can cut 40 feet per minute. The only objection we have heard urged is, it takes two many hands to haul up logs and carry away lumber. Yours, &c.,

JONES & BARBEE.

June 2, 1852. 59

PETERSBURG CLOTHING BAZAAR.

THE subscribers having purchased the entire interest of N. Perry in the above celebrated establishment, respectfully announce to the citizens of North Carolina that they intend to relax no effort to retain the liberal patronage heretofore received from the numerous customers of the Bazaar in the Old North State.

Manufacturing as we do all our own clothing, and one of the firm being constantly in the market, thus having facilities for purchasing our cloths, cassameres, &c. at first hands, and consequently at the lowest rates, we are enabled to compete in prices with Northern houses, while our garments in point of style and workmanship, are not excelled by those of any other house in the State.

It is unnecessary to enumerate the articles of which our stock is composed; suffice it to say that in our rooms may be found every thing pertaining to men's wear, and furnishing goods of the most recent style and in great variety.

Our Custom Department,

Is constantly supplied with the most desirable goods, and those preferring their garments made to order, can here find a large assortment to select from, and with an efficient force of workmen we can get up a single garment or an entire suit at very short notice. A good fit and perfect satisfaction guarantied in every instance.

Our Wholesale Rooms.

Merchants visiting the City should not fail to look through our stock, as we have opened an exclusive Wholesale Room, and manufacture largely, expressly for this branch of our trade.

A. S. SHAFER & CO.,
(Successors to N. PERRY.)

Petesburg, Virginia May 5th, 1852. 52—

LEATHER FOR SPRING SALES,
At Wholesale and Retail.

WE respectfully inform our friends and the public that we have in store a large and most excellent

Stock of Leather and Findings,

for the Spring Trade, which we will sell as low as any other establishment South of New York, and for less price than they can be had even there, expenses of travelling, freight, &c., considered.

All of our purchases having been made from the Importers and Manufacturers by the whole case or package, and the advantage of receiving Leather regularly from our own Tannery, places it in our power to sell Goods as above stated. Those who wish to buy cannot lose by giving our stock an examination, and we believe we shall be able to please, both as to price and quality. Below we enumerate some of the leading articles, viz:

20 dozen of Crawford's Calf Skins (this maker had the premium awarded to him at the World's Fair held in London in 1851.)
40 doz. French Skins, best quality,
40 " American Calf Skins,
90 " Lining and Binding Skins,
10 " Morocco Skins,
800 Sides Oak Tanned and Hemlock Sole Leather,
50 " Band Leather,
Lasts, Boot-Trees, Shoe and Boot Maker's Tools of every kind, Tanner's and Currier's Tools.

Also, Sewed Brogans of our own manufacture, warranted to give satisfaction, and many other articles, too numerous to mention, at No. 21 Old street, apposite B. P. Harrison's Saddlery. F. A. & R. H. FORD,

N. B. We pay the highest price in cash for Green and Dried Hides delivered to us at our Store.

Pet ersburg, May 5, 1852. tf.

We Study to Please.

NEW SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.
A NEW DRY GOOD STORE,

On Fayetteville street, second door below Messrs. Williams, Haywood & Co.'s Drug Store.

JOHN CREECH has just returned from the Northern cities, where he has purchased a large and beautiful assortment of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, of the latest styles and patterns for the Spring and Summer Trade. Also, a large and beautiful assortment of Hats and Caps of all kinds; a large and beautiful assortment of Ladies and Misses Bonnets, and children's Hats and Flats, all of the latest styles. Also, a large assortment of Boots and Shoes, Guns and Pistols, Hardware and Cutlery; a good assortment of Umbrellas and Parasols a good assortment of men's and boys summer Clothing which will be sold too low to fear the competition of Jews.

All persons in want of New Goods and good bargains will do well to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. I tender my most sincere thanks to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country for the long and liberal patronage I have received, and trust by untiring zeal and energy to please in the prosecution of my business, to merit its continuance.

JOHN CREECH.

Raleigh, N. C., March 8th, 1853. 32—w.

N. C. Fashionable Jewelry Store.

PALMER & RAMSAY,

DEALERS IN

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,

All Kinds of Jewelry, of the Latest Styles,

SILVER AND PLATED WARE, CUTLERY,

Perfumery, Fancy Goods and Clocks.

THE subscribers are receiving their Fall purchase, which is one of the most extensive ever offered for sale in the State. Consisting of

100 Gold and Silver Watches,
Large collection of Gold Chains, Seals and Keys.
A fine lot of Diamond Rings and Pins,
Fashionable Earrings, Breastpins and Rings,
Braceletts, Cuff Pins and Armletts,
Very large assortment of Gold, Silver and Steel

Spectacles,

Gold and Silver Thimbles,
Gold and Silver Pencils and Pens and Lockets,
Steel Pens and Keys, Razors, Strops and Pen Knives,
Silver Table, Deserts and Tea Spoons,
Ladles, Forks and Butter Knives, and Pickle Knives and Forks.
Castors, Candlesticks, Snuffers and Trays,
Baskets, Waiter Coffee Urn,
Gerondoles, Coral and Card Cases,
Perfumery and Fancy Goods.
All kinds of Watches, Jewelry, and Clocks repaired in our usual manner.

October 4, 1852. 94

State of North Carolina, Ashe County.

COURT OF EQUITY, SPRING TERM, A. D. 1853.

Linville Williams, Emerilla Williams, Sam'l. D. Caldwell and his wife Susan, *vs.* John Williams, Henry Williams, James Toliver, Catharine Williams, John Wesley Williams, Alfred Clawson and wife Nancy, Martha Ann Williams and Polly Jane Williams.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Polly Ann Williams, one of the defendants in this suit, hath removed from this State, and is a non resident, it is ordered that publication be made in the North Carolina Standard for six weeks notifying the said Polly Ann Williams to be and appear before the Judge of our Superior Court of Equity, at the next term to be held for the County of Ashe, at the Court House in Jefferson, on the 2d Monday in September next, and then and there to plead, answer or demur, otherwise judgment *pro confesso* will be entered against her.

Witness George Bower, Clerk and Master in Equity, at office, the 3d Monday in March, A. D. 1853.

GEO. BOWER, C. M. E.

April 18, 1853. (Pr. Adv. $5,62½.) 968—6w.

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned having determined to exchange Merchandizing for Agriculture, offers for sale all his Real Estate in the town of Tarborough, to wit:

His Store Lot on the Court-House square, well known as "The Brick Store," with all necessary ware-houses and other buildings for merchandizing.

This Lot is considered one of the most desireable in Town, and has been tenanted as a place of trade without intermission ever since the foundation of the town.

Also, the residence of the subscriber, which has a good dwelling-house of five rooms, a basement and cellar, and all necessary buildings for a town residence—good fruit garden, &c.

The residence is located in one of the best neighborhoods of the town, and was successively occupied by the late Joseph B. Lloyd, James Weddell, and the late Henry I. Toole.

All the buildings and improvements are in good repair

Also, for sale a well assorted Stock of Goods.

JOSEPH H. BOWDITCH.

Tarborough, April 14th, 1853. 44—tf.

Tombs, Monuments, Head-Stones, &c

THE Subscriber having been North and purchased a large assortment of Italian and American MARBLE for *Monuments, Tombs*, and *Headstones*, and *Hearth, paint stones, slabs* for *Soda Founts, Baker's Slabs*, and Nova Scotia *grindstones*. solicits the patronage of the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country. He invites the citizens to call and see his monuments, tomb and head stones and drafts, or send their orders, which will be punctually attended to.

The subscriber has been in business in this place sixteen years, and you can refer to any of the citizens of Raleigh.

His Marble-Yard is ten minutes' walk from the State House, at the South-East Corner of the Graveyard.

The subscriber has examined the Northern prices, and has no hesitation in saying he can do work on as reasonable terms as any.

WILLIAM STRONACH.

Raleigh, Sept. 6, 1852. 85—1y.

Caswell Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

THIS Company, chartered at the last session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, and locate in the town of Milton, has been fully organized, and is now prepared to receive applications for Insurance on Houses, Furniture, Goods, Factories, &c. The terms will be the same as those of the other Mutual Fire Insurance Companies of the State.

All applications must state the location and situation of the buildings and other property on which insurance is desired.

The undersigned has been appointed General Agent for this Company, and he is also the Agent for the Ætna Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, and the Hartford Insurance Company, located in the same place.

All applications for Insurance or local Agencies to be addressed to WILLIE J. PALMER, *Secretary*, or the subscriber,

NATHANIEL J. PALMER.

Milton. N. C. April 15, 1853. 43—tf.

HURRAH FOR CHATHAM!
NEW TOBACCO FACTORY AT PITTSBORO'.

LONG & BURNET,

RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Chatham and adjoining Counties that they have established

A TOBACCO FACTORY

in Pittsboro', and wish to purchase all kinds of Tobacco, viz: Common and Fine. For fine yellow Tobacco they are willing to pay liberal prices, from $6 to $12½, according to quality and color.

All those having Tobacco for sale will do well to give us a trial before selling elsewhere, as we are determined to give the full value for each quality.

Pittsborough, Feb. 4, 1853. 23—3m.

NOTICE.

IN accordance with a decree of Wake Court of Equity, at Spring Term, 1853, I shall offer for sale on Friday, the 3d day of June next, at Stricklands Store in Wake County, a tract of land owned by the late Berry Bunn containing about four hundred and eighteen acres and lying on the west-side of Moccasin Creek and bounded by the lands of Code Bunn and others; also on the same day two tracts of land in Franklin County, one containing about sixty acres, adjoining the lands of Obediah Strickland and others, and the other on Moccasin Creek containing by estimation three hundred and seventy two acres. The two last named tracts to be sold on the premises.

Terms of sale six and twelve months credit, bond and good security required.

ED. GRAHAM HAYWOOD, C. M.

April 28, 1853. 47—

NEW ARRIVAL OF SPRING GOODS
AT THE BAZAAR!!

WHITE, Buff, Brown, Mottled, Plaid, Striped, and Planters' Linen Coats; White and Buff Grass do., Drab, Blue and Mottled Croton do., Black and Fancy Alapaca do., Plaid and Fancy Cassimere do., Blk. Summer Cloth and Cassimere Sacks, half Sacks and Frocks, Tweeds, Cashmeretts and Angolas do.; Planters' Linen, Plaid, White, Striped, Mottled Linen, and Cassimere Pants in great variety; Sontag, Cassimere, Silk and Linen Vestings, Quiltings and Weltings do., rich styles. A large assortment of Lawn and Linen Cambric Handkerchifs, plain and fancy borders, Silk and Lisle Embroidered Cravats, plain and fancy Lawn do, fancy Silk do. Alexander's and Chossin's White and Colored Kid Gloves, Black do, Lisle and Linen do., Washed Norway do., Fine Doe do. Black Colored Silk do., Plaid and Striped Silk and Cotton Half Hose do. We are weekly receiving large supplies selected from the most desirable styles in the market, which we warrant made equal to custom work in fit and finish.

Our furnishing Department comprises every new and fashionable article necessary for a regular outfit, which will be sold at the lowest market prices by

A. S. SHAFER & CO., Clothing Bazaar,
Sycamore street.

Petersburg, April 28, 1852. 47—

SAM'L M. WILSON. GEO. W. GRICE.

WILSON & GRICE,
GENERAL COMMISSION & FORWARDING MERCHANTS,

No. 11, High Street and Pierce's Wharf,

Portsmouth, Va.

GIVE their personal and prompt attention to the Sale and Forwarding of Produce and Merchandize of very description, and make liberal consignments.

REFERENCES.

Geo. W. Mordecai, Esq., Raleigh.
Messrs. W. H. & R. S. Tucker, Raleigh.
" King, Thomas & Barrow, Louisburg.
" R. N. & D. C. Herndon, Oxford.
Hon. Weldon N. Edwards, Warren County.
Col. S. S. Royster, Granville.
Messrs. Jno. White & Co., Warrenton.
" Montgomery & Plummer, do.
Col. Walter Gwynn, Ch'f Eng. Central Rail Road.

May 2, 1853. 48—1y.

PETER W. HINTON,
Commssion & Forwarding Merchant,
NO. 1, 2 & 3, ROTHERYS' WHARF,
NORFOLK, VA.

PARTICULAR attention paid to the sale of Flour, Cotton, Tobacco and other Produce.

Advances made on consignments.

Strict attention paid to forwarding and receiving merchandize.

REFERENCES.

Maj. Chas. L. Hinton, Raleigh.
George W. Haywood, Esq., Raleigh,
J. B. G. Roulhac, Esq., Raleigh,
William Plummer, Esq., Warrenton.

April 19, 1853. 44—w.6m.

North Carolina Manufactures.

BATTLE & SON, Are still manufacturing, at the ROCKY MOUNT MILLS, N. C. about 300,000 lbs. *Cotton Yarns*, per annum (equal to the best Georgia Yarns,) which they will deliver to Merchants free of charge, at New York prices.

Orders addressed to Battle, & Son, Rocky Mount N. C., will receive prompt attention.

February, 1852. 39—1y.

Fine Table Cutlery.—One sett Ivory Handled Balance Knives and Forks, 51 ps.
Ivory Handled Carvers and Forks,
Do. Game do.
Do. Butter Knives.
Also a good lot of Weeding Hoes. For sale by

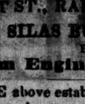
J. BROWN.

may 25, 1853. 47—

Candles! Candles!! A supply of Sperm and Adamantine Candles, very good and at reduced prices—may be had of P. E. PESCUD.

February 22d, 1853.

FRESH DRUGS, MEDICINES, &C.
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD,



ARE now receiving large additions to their stock of

Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals

PAINTS, OILS, DYESTUFFS,

Window Glass, Perfumery, &c. &c.

from the most reliable Houses in the Northern Cities which have been purchased with an eye single to their purity, and are offered for sale at such prices and on such terms as shall compare favorably with any house in the State.

Physicians, Country Merchants, and Dealers generally, will do well to give us a call before purchasing, feeling assured we shall not fail to please both in point of price and quality.

Orders promptly attended to, and particular attention given to packing and forwarding.

Family Medicines and Prescriptions compounded at all hours of the day and night, by a competent person with neatness and despatch.

We tender our most sincere thanks to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country for the long and liberal patronage we have received, and trust by untiring zeal and energy to please in the prosecution of our business, to merit its continuance.

Raleigh, April 28. 1853. 94—

"Eagle Hotel," Chapel Hill, for Sale

THE Proprietress of this well known and profitable establishment, having realized a sufficient income to warrant her in resuming the quiet of a private life, offers to the public generally the opportunity of bidding for its advantages.

The citizens of the State are so well acquainted with the advantages of its position, that but few remarks are necessary to complete their information.

The Hotel itself possesses all the requirments of room and comfort, which its purchasers can desire. It has capacity for the accommodation of one hundred and fifty boarders, and the recent and rapid growth of the University, adjacent, makes it an easy matterto possess such or even a greater number of students.

In addition to this, the frequent travel through Chapel Hill gives the Hotel, (being the only one in the place) a transient custom equal to any in the State.

The lots and stables adjoining are extensive and commodious, and the country-market supplies abundantly and on profitable terms much of its provisions.

The terms of sale require one third of the price to be paid on taking possession. A note, with safe security and time of payment suited to the convenience of the purchaser, are the reasonable demands for the remainder.

If further information be desired concerning the inducements to purchase, the President of the University or any other resident of the village, will furnish it.

Possession can be obtained at any time, after the 1st of May. Apply to ANNE S. HILLIARD.

Chapel Hill N. C. Feb. 27, 1851. 33—

CLASSICAL AND MATHEMATICAL SCHOOL
IN RALEIGH.

THE Subscriber will open a School of this description in the City of Raleigh, on the 1st Monday in January next, strictly limited to *twenty-five* pupils. The Latin, Greek, and French languages will be soundly taught, with a thorough course of Mathematics. As the school is intended to be one of high grade, pupils will be expected to have already received some degree of preparatory instruction in the ordinary English branches.

The first session will be one of *five months*. Some half dozen boarders may be accomodated if preferred, in the Principal's family, at $12 per month.

Fees of Latin, Greek, and Mathematics,	$25,00
French extra,	10,00

One half the above expenses will be expected invariably in advance.

L. WADDELL.

February 5, 1853. 24—1y.

The Best Work on Fruit Trees ever Published.

THE FRUIT GARDEN, a Treatise intended to illustrate and explain the Physiology of Fruit Trees, the Theory and Practice of all operations connected with the Propagation, Transplanting, Prunning and Training of Orchard and Garden Trees, as Standards Dwarfs, Pyramids, Espaliers, &c., the laying out and arranging different kinds or Orchards and Gardens, the selection af suitable varieties for different purposes and localities, gathering and preserving Fruits, treatment of Diseases, destruction of Insects, description and uses of Implements, &c., illustrated with upwards one hundred and fifty Figures, representing different parts of Trees, all practical operations, forms of trees, Designs for Plantations, and Implements, &c. by P. Barry, of Mount Hope Nurseries, Rochester, New York, 1 vol. 12 mo. 3d edition. For sale by

H. D. TURNER.

Raleigh, April 18th, 1853.

TO MERCHANTS—IMPORTANT AND TRUE.

The fact, that merchants can supply their wants in their home markets, and thus save the trouble and expense of a northern trip, being fully established, the subscribers, in anticipation of a large demand for their popular Ready Made Clothing, have manufactured an unusually large stock, which, they may safely say, has never been surpassed, if it has been equalled, in the southern market.

Encouraged by the very liberal patronage hitherto received, and with largely increased facilities, we are determined to keep pace with the onward spirit of the age, and to use every honorable effort to deserve our share of the "*public distribution.*" Merchants visiting Petersburg, whether dealing in Clothing or not, are invited to visit our WHOLESALE ROOMS, now stocked with every variety of Clothing, *of our own manufacture*, the most modern styles, and at *New York prices.*

A. S. SHAFER & CO.,
WHOLESALE CLOTHING BAZAAR,
Sycamore, three doors from Bank street,
Petersburg, Va.

September 1, 1852. 84—tf.

To the Public—*A perfect Luxury in Summ* and Winter. The subscriber has on hand a supply of the best quality of curled hair, and is still manufacturing a superior quality of hair Mattresses. He would respectfully inform the public that he can furnish them with the best articles in his line as cheaply as they can be bought in New York. Persons from the neighboring villages and counties, who have heretofore sent North, can provide themselves with as good an article at the subscriber's, and at as low a price; as he is prepared to and will furnish them, at the shortest notice, at prices ranging from $4 to $30.

ALSO, constantly on hand the much improved shuck and Cotton Mattresses, at the lowest prices. Also, sofas, lounges, &c. manufactured in various styles.

pairing of sofas, easy-chairs, and renovating old Mattresses, &c, done with neatness and despatch. All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to.

My Ware-Room is on Fayetteville Street, three doors above the Yarbrough House.

J. H. HARRIS,
Upholsterer and Mattress Maker.

Good Feathers taken at the highest prices in exchange for Mattresses.

Raleigh March 1, 1853. 32

$10 REWBRD.

LEFT on the 20th of March, ALFRED, a copper-colored boy, 18 to 19 years old, well grown, 5 feet, 6 or inches high—talks on the end of his tongue—had on a wool hat, badly worn, and yarn clothing. He carried off a cloth cap, and a blanket with other clothing.

ALFRED has relations in Raleigh, and also at William Turner's, in Johnston Co.

The subscriber's Post Office is at Raleigh.

CASWELL POWELL.

Wake Co., March 23, 1853. 36—tf.

Just Received,

3,000 PRINCIPE; 3,000 Regalias; 3,000 short Havannah, all genuine imported Cigars; 3,000 Domestic of different brands.

500 lbs chewing Tobacco; 300 lbs smoking Tobacco.

F. MAHLER & Co.

May 4, 1853. 48—

SUPERIOR READY MADE.
DAILY ARRIVALS AT HARDINGS.

JUST RECEIVED, 200 pairs Superior Fancy Cassemere Pants.

March 11st, 1853. 39—

A TREATISE on the Adulteration of Food and Drink, and plain and simple directions for detecting them, with One Hundred Recipes for tooth powders, hair dyes, skin powders, perfumes, &c. by M. P. Byrne, M. D., 1 volume, 12mo. For sale at

TURNER'S N. C. Book Store.

Raleigh, April 18, 1853,

Gauze Merino Shirts.

50 DOZEN superior Gauze Merino Shirts, a very desirable article for Summer ware, at

HARDING'S.

May 9th, 1853. 50—

Irish Potatoes.

A FEW barrels of those superior Carter Potatoes on hand—price reduced to close sales.

JAMES McKIMMON.

Raleigh, April 11th, 1853. 42—

Scientific and Practical Works.

THE American Miller, and Millwright's Assistant, by William Carter Hughes, editor of the American New York, illustrated by drawings of the most approved machinery, &c. The Turner's Companion, containing instructions in concentric, elliptic, and ecc